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GENERAL NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN

Destructive Prairie Fire

Bismarck, D.T., Dec 4—A prairie fire which started yesterday three miles below Crook City and swept in an easterly direction destroyed hay which had been cut and stacked for the military at Bear Butte The quarters narrowly escaped destruction Many ranches were burned to the ground Sturgis City which stood in the path of the fire was saved by a slight rainfall which stopped the fire's progress

The Chicago Wheat Corner.

Chicago Dec 4—There is no excitement over the change to day and prices for wheat have averaged lower closing with a decline of about 3/8s from yesterday The market was inclined to sympathize with Keene in the movement and to take the ground that the northwest is a service in forcing farmers to obtain a fair price for their grain The general belief is that money will be made on wheat purchased now provided it is held until navigation opens next spring May The shaping of events may possibly cause considerable rise even before that date Keene and his broker friends maintain an impenetrable air of mystery and refuse to give any clue to their views

Louisville Elects a Mayor

Louisville Ky, Dec 4—John G Baxter democrat was elected mayor of Louisville by a majority of 3 000

Grant's Return

New York, Dec 4—Good authority announces that preparations are making in this and other cities to give Grant a series of public receptions on his return to America Efforts are making to keep the arrangements secret, and make the receptions non partisan, by the citizens said to be engaged in the movement Grant is expected by the Pennsylvania line at Philadelphia The committee of arrangements in this city propose a grand ball to which the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise will be invited and it is said they will come. The reception will commence in Boston under the management of Governor Rice, and will be followed by New York and Philadelphia

Dangerous to Europe to be Sent to America

New York, Dec. 4.—A Berlin correspondent states that the government proposes send to America all men holding dangerous socialistic doctrines, and warns Americans that only congressional legislation can prevent large numbers being shipped Indigenous journals here noticing the fact state that the danger to our society is much greater from this source than by any imported by the emigration of Chinese, and suggest that the government notify the German government that the deportation of dangerous socialists will be regarded as an unfriendly act

The Commercial Convention

New Orleans, Dec. 4—The Commercial Convention was called to order at 11 and Governor Lee, of Virginia, made permanent president. He made a speech expressing gratification at the peaceful relations existing between the various states and several resolutions were offered and referred to committees

The Ballistic Convention.

Cleveland, Dec 4—The National Base Ball League met to day. Syracuse Buffalo Cleveland, were admitted and Indianapolis and Milwaukee were admitted. N E. Young was re elected President. The petitions of Cleveland Hall and Base Ball Association were refused Rules were changed making the pitcher's position to be by four wide, and requiring a batsman to take his base or forfeit a ball

Acquitted.

Chicago, Dec 4—Jacob Vanger, who killed his wife in a brutal manner, was acquitted of the murder by a jury on the ground of insanity He will be sent to the asylum.

The Mexican Excursion Party

The Mexican excursion party will leave Chicago under the management of the Illinois Central railway on January 4th Advices from the Mexican government has appropriated $50,000 dollars for their entertainment and refunds have been placed in the hands of a reception committee

Opposition to Sabbath Breakers

Cincinnati, Dec 5.—The growing prevalence of Sunday amusements and various other methods of desecrating the Sabbath have become notorious in this city for the past few weeks, and finally aroused public opinion A meeting of sixty prominent citizens held at the Grand hotel this evening and appointed committees of twenty appointed, will endeavor to enforce existing laws, and additional legislation is needed direct efforts towards securing it The plan of action will be in essential features similar to that pursued in New York

Ben Butler on Butter and Cheese.

Lowell, Dec 4—About 2,000 persons visited the dairy fair last night. A butter and cheese factory was in operation in one end of the building Gen B F Butler in the development of the products of the dairy said it was amazing that over $200 worth of butter and cheese had been exhibited in this country the past year He decided a subdivision of land in small lots as in France, which is more productive than this country, because the lands are of less extent and more highly cultivated The aggregation of large quantities of land always resulted in poor tillage and unremunerativeness

Indian Troubles in Nebraska

Omaha, Dec 4—A herder just in from the Niobrara river reports North's ranch on that river burned by Indians who had stolen 2,000 head of horses from that ranch Settlers are fortifying themselves at Long Pine, on Birdwood. Great fears are entertained for the safety of a supply party of thirty days out from North Platte

A Good Day's Walk.

Rochester, Dec 4—O'Leary walked 110 miles in the first 24 hours

Bridgeport City Election.

Bridgeport, Conn, Dec 4—Hobart B Sherman, republican, is elected mayor by a majority of 78. The rest of the Republican city and town officers are also elected

Democratic Gain in Queensbacker.

Boston, Dec 4—Williams, democrat, is elected mayor by 778 majority

WASHINGTON CITY.

Fighting by Mexico.

Washington, Dec. 4—A Tribune's Washington Persons who have devoted attention to Mexican affairs claim to perceive that the situation is even more critical than would appear from the official reports. These persons say they have authority for the statement that the views of the president's policy and of the pending complications in those who have claims against Mexico for losses by raids will be likely to receive immediate attention and that there will be besides provisions for security in the future

More Fraud Exposed

The United States supervisor of elections at Camden South Carolina makes a report of the Democratic management at that poll on election day It compromises no less a person than the chairman of the state executive committee who according to the report refused to permit the U S supervisor of elections to keep the poll list according to law

Rumor of Senator Sargent's Death

WASHINGTON Dec 4—It is rumored on the street that Senator Sargent is dead but the report lacks confirmation

The Chicago Custom House Ring

WASHINGTON Dec 4—The president has determined on a most vigorous prosecution of the Chicago custom house ring and has directed to employ as special counsel Judge Lawrence of Chicago and his partner Campbell Supervising Architect Hill will undoubtedly be suspended during the trial

A Democratic Majority in the Senate

CHICAGO Dec 4—A Inter Ocean Washington special says On account of the absence of three or four Republican senators the Democrats have a majority in the senate and will defeat any political resolutions

Sargent is not Dead

WASHINGTON Dec 4—Inquiry at Senator Sargent's house exploded the story of his death He is much better to day at 2 30 P M

Confirmations by the Senate.

The senate has confirmed R B Harrison of Indiana as assayer at Helena Montana

WASHINGTON Dec 4—The president to day sent to the senate a large number of nominations most of them being for confirmation of appointments during recess Among them were the following Albert E Paine of Wisconsin, commissioner of patents Lewis Wallace of Indiana governor of New Mexico and Algernon S Battinger postmaster at New Orleans

Trade Dollar Bullion

Secretary Sherman says there is a strong speculative feeling springing up to purchase bullion in the form of the trade dollar a value greater than other bullion, thus discriminating in favor of bullion held in China and against bullion in the hands of our miners The secretary says that trade dollars will be bought as bullion upon bids each Wednesday and that preference will be given to trade dollars over other bullion This is the secretary's answer to a San Francisco offer of 1 000 000 trade dollars deliverable there from China within sixty days

Alex Stephens Falls and Hurts his Knee

WASHINGTON Dec 4—Alexander H Stephens, to day while ascending the stone steps leading to the house of crutch slipped and fell causing a painful wrench of the knee which will probably confine him to his room for several days

Indian Investigation

The joint commission having under consideration the proposition of transferring the Indian bureau to the war department met to day The first witness was Dr A C Barlow of Providence, R I chairman of the board of Indian commissioners, and representing the Congregational church in behalf of the education and conversion of the Indian race He said in his judgment the proposed transfer was unwise and that if effected it would certainly work adversely to christian operations now in progress He recited at length many interviews he had with army officers on the subject, and said these favoring the transfer appeared to have but one reason therefor, namely that the war department paid better salaries for similar duty than did the department of the interior He thought it impossible for the body of the Indian commissioners to work in harmony with army officials as it did with civilians and gave as his reason that the army was formed for war, to subdue enemies and make peace rather than to promote religion and friendship In his opinion in five years time under the supervision of christian discipline the entire Indian race could be civilized for one half the amount of money which would necessarily be expended in the event of their being placed under the rulings of the war department, and under the former plan in the time mentioned he was sure the aid of military to keep the Indians peaceful would be no more required than it is at present in our states He considered that there are some very good men in the army but did not think them adapted to the requirements of Indian agents and was positive they are incapable of promoting religion, civilization etc

E M Dingsley, of New York, a member of the board of Indian commissioners and representing the Presbyterian sect and also chairman of the purchasing committee, was the next gentleman to present his views He said We need an army with hoes and spades for the Indians, rather than swords and rifles If the committee so desired he would produce the books of his office for every expenditure made by the board or where purchases were made where forwarded and the disposition made of the same He defended the Indian agents as a body, and said their wholesale abuse was unwarrantable With reference to the creation of contracts by the bureau he said he did not accept the criticisms of the war department on the subject and considered it poor grace for that department to offer it, considering the rascally contracts which passed through the hands of the officials during the late war. The great mass of religious denominations throughout the country favored the continuation of the existing peace policy Should the transfer be made, the board would not feel that they had any active sympathies with the good work done by the board, which had in many instances been demoralized by surrounding military posts

How the Chinese Question Stands

Representatives Horace Davis and Page called at the state department to day to make joint inquiry concerning the progress of the diplomatic negotiations for the modification of the Burlingame treaty They had a long and very cordial conversation with Secretary Evarts but although they found him earnestly even warmly in favor of the adoption by our government of a restrictive policy in regard to Mongolian immigration, yet nevertheless they came away convinced that what they previously apprehended is still to be expected namely, that the Chinese will be able by use of ordinary diplomatic delays and artifices, to postpone almost indefinitely any concerted action by the two governments in the nature of a treaty of revision, and that the purpose of the Chinese embassy in Washington is merely to pursue the Fabian policy of wearing out their opponents by inaction

Davis and Page and doubtless also other members of the Pacific coast delegation will however treat this delay on the part of the Chinese authorities as equivalent to a refusal and with all possible vigor will urge upon congress the necessity of using such unquestionable power to enact any immediate legislative remedy for the evils which negotiation would still leave for it to cure and which, if convinced of the existence it would remedy with or without the consent of the emperor of China under the higher international law of self preservation

A report is current here and may obtain publication elsewhere that the president has referred the subject of Chinese immigration to a cabinet council for consideration with a view to making it the subject of a special message not to the present congress There is no foundation whatever for this story

The Texas Pacific Bill

The senate refused to take up the Texas Pacific bill to day which does not seem to be considered disadvantageously by the friends of that measure They say that they had expected that the senate would consent to go to work on it during the last week of the session and that if the motion was made before the bill had been postponed to this day from last session and they wanted to show that they had not forgotten it Besides which they say a larger proportion of their friends than of their enemies were absent

Cascade Canal

Senator Mitchell to day introduced a bill appropriating $5 000 000 for continuing the construction of the canal around the Cascades of the Columbia river referred to the committee on commerce

Senator Sargent's Condition

WASHINGTON Dec 4—Although Senator Sargent is recovering from his second attack of malarial fever his physicians are of the opinion that he cannot regain his strength without complete rest He therefore intends to leave Washington as soon as he gets strength enough and to go with his wife to Nassau New Providence which he hopes to do within a week He will be gone a month or longer if necessary If able he will examine his immense accumulated correspondence before he leaves town and turn over to his colleagues such matters as they can attend to

Purchase of Silver

The treasury purchased about 400 000 ounces of silver to day at a trifle below the London rates

Report of the Academy of Science

WASHINGTON Dec 4—The report of the National Academy of Sciences on the scientific surveys of territories of the United States was communicated to the house yesterday After careful consideration of the facilities at the disposal of several existing organizations engaged in this work, the academy believe that the coast and geodetic survey is practically best prepared to execute the entire mensuration system required within the public domain The dominant interest of the United States is centered in public lands which remain to be surveyed and sold The administration of these lands consisting of 1 101 107 185 acres, is necessarily within the department of the interior, while the coast and geodetic surveys having been originally inaugurated to meet the wants of commerce have been but ill ately under the treasury department In view of the paramount importance of the public lands the academy recommends that the coast and geodetic surveys be transferred from the treasury to the interior department retaining its original field of operations and assuming also the entire mensuration of the public domain and that it be modified and extended and thereafter be known as the United States coast and interior survey This organization would then embrace in addition to its former work the geodetic survey of the whole public domain, the topographical work and rapid reconnoissance and land parcelling surveys The superintendent of coast and interior survey should be appointed by the president and should report directly to the secretary of the interior

EUROPEAN NEWS

Gladstone Rebuked by the "Times"

LONDON Dec 3—The Times in a leading editorial severely censures Gladstone's speech for the tendency of his influence on the fortunes of the country no less than on those of the liberal party

The Porte is Willing

CONSTANTINOPLE Dec 3—The porte has announced its readiness to discuss a definitive treaty of peace with Russia, whose attitude appears to be conciliatory

The Austrian Parliament.

VIENNA Dec 3—The emperor has summoned the reichsrath to assemble on the 10 h instant

The Bulgarian Boundary Commission

LONDON Dec 4—The Bulgarian boundary commission has returned safely to Constantinople after considerable danger The Bulgarians besieged the English and Turkish commissioners two days

Severe on Suleiman, the Traitor.

CONSTANTINOPLE Dec 4—Suleiman Pasha was sentenced to 10 years imprisonment He has taken an appeal

New Turkish Ministry.

CONSTANTINOPLE Dec 4—The ministry has been dismissed and the following new ministers appointed Grand Vizier Khairadden Pasha Sheik ul Islam Ahmet Assad Effendi minister of war Ghazi Osman Pasha minister of foreign affairs Karatheodori Pasha minister of the interior Kadri Pasha minister of justice Said Pasha minister of commerce Djevdet Pasha minister of public works Sawas Pasha Phobiades, who has been raised to the rank of Pasha will succeed

Keeping up the Army.

VIENNA, Dec 4—The return of reserves from Bosnia and Herzegovina has been stopped and many have been ordered to rejoin their regiments

The Fleeing Afghans

LONDON Dec 4—The viceroy telegraphs that intelligence has been received that Jellalabad has been evacuated and no Afghan troops are nearer than Cabul

A Combat Impending

A Lahore dispatch says that Gen Roberts finding the enemy concentrated in sufficient strength to justify a single infliction a crushing defeat on the amirs forces, has delayed the attack until the arrival of all his supplies and transports, so as to be able to follow up any advantage gained A dispatch from the viceroy of India also states that Gen Roberts is hurrying to allow the troops to rest and that supplies come forward The Afghans are at the top of Peywar pass and are known to have two batteries of horse artillery

The Brussels Forgers

BRUSSELS Dec 4—M Fiandt, manager, and M Portamps, president of the Banque de Belgique, who defrauded the bank of 20,000,000 francs, have been convicted and sentenced, the former to fifteen years solitary confinement and he latter to one year's imprisonment with $1 200 fine

A Canadian Loan.

LONDON, Dec 4—A Canadian loan of three million pounds at four per cent with a half guarantee by the imperial government has been placed on the market at the minimum price of 95½

A Distinguished Officer

BERLIN Dec 4—The director of the main has been arrested charged with abstracting 1 000 000 francs worth of jewelry belonging to Rothschild and substituting galvanized copper bars

St Francis Xavier's Body Exposed

GOA Dec 4—The body of St Francis Xavier was exposed in the presence of the various parts of the body were presently enclosed in a new casket

Mancual to be Executed

MADRID Dec 4—The court has allowed Mancual to appeal from the sentence of death pronounced on the latter A new trial will be granted

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Killie Wilson Testified

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4—Killie Wilson was examined privately before the grand jury yesterday with reference to the murder of the late Alex Austin She testified that she had no knowledge of the circumstances of the murder personally but from what she heard declared that she had placed every dollar she had in the world in Austin's hands, at his solicitation to be invested in stocks at the time of his departure for Europe with her sister Mrs Bryant By this investment she had lost every thing and was only able to return home on a letter of credit on the Bank of Nevada which was given on security of some stock held by the bank and which she had purchased with her own earnings This stock had since been sold by the bank to compensate for the indorsements on the letter of credit Mrs Ben Miss Wilton) denied any knowledge of the diamonds owned by Mr Austin further than contained in a letter from the dead which showed that the diamonds were in the possession one week previous to his death Witness asserted that her relations with Austin were misrepresented by the newspapers Nothing satisfactory was elicited regarding the disposition of Austin's life insurance policies

The Seamen Victorious

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 4—The strike of coasting seamen against a reduction of wages has virtually ended the owners acceding to the terms of the strikers—$35 per month

Earthquake at San Jose

SAN JOSE Dec 4—A shock of earthquake was felt here at 7 10 this morning The oscillations were from northwest to southeast with a semi rotary rotation intermediate the tremor lasting ten seconds No damage At 11 15 A M another very slight shock occurred

An Editor Sent up for Libel

LOS ANGELES Dec 4—Theodore Lyon of the Herald was this morning was sentenced to a term of one year in the county jail of Los Angeles for libel

A Distressing Accident

DIXON, Calo Dec 4—A distressing accident occurred yesterday morning at the residence of Mr A McPherson, living six miles southwest of Dixon McPherson was not at home at the time At an early hour a hired man discovered fire breaking through the roof of the building and at about the same time Mrs McPherson and an Indian woman who were eating breakfast in the basement heard cries of distress from an Indian girl about eight years of age in one of the rooms on the upper floor Rushing up stairs they discovered the entire room enveloped in a sheet of flames and the Indian girl in the midst uttering the most heartrending screams for help All efforts to reach her were fruitless, and after the building had fallen her charred remains were discovered in the ruins The extent of the loss and the amount of insurance is not known at present It is thought that the girl upset a kerosene lamp, and so started the conflagration

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON Dec 4

Salisbury introduced a bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury in redeeming U S legal tender notes as required by special resumption act to pay 75 per cent in gold coin, and 25 per cent in standard silver dollars

Harris resolution regarding the prevention of epidemics was agreed to with amendment The committee may act with a similar committee of the house

The motion of Matthews to take up the Texas Pacific railroad bill was rejected—yeas 19 nays 26—on the ground that it would lead to a long discussion

Edmunds gave notice that Monday next he would call up the bill relating to the presidential election and counting of votes

Mitchell presented a petition from merchants of Oregon, praying for an appropriation for a harbor of refuge at Port Orford

Senator Booth presented a petition of night inspectors of customs at San Francisco praying for the restoration of their pay to $8 per diem referred to the committee on finance

Logan introduced a bill appropriating $ 500 000 for improving the levees in southern states laid on the table

Executive session followed and when doors were reopened senate adjourned

House.

Schleicher offered a resolution calling on the president for a copy of the dispatch of October 1878 from the secretary of state to the U S minister in Mexico together with other documents on the subject of commercial relations with Mexico adopted

Kelley offered a resolution asking the secretary of the treasury for information regarding the deposit of government moneys in any national state or private bank on the 30th of September and November 1878 other than deposits by disbursing agents adopted

A PLAN TO CRUSH BANK OPPOSITION

Fort asked leave to offer the following resolution

Resolved That the legal tender quality of the silver dollar of 412½ grains standard silver shall be maintained and enforced and that any discrimination against the said silver dollar by any national bank in refusing to receive them and treat them as legal dollars shall be deemed a defiance of the laws of the United States and the committee on banking and currency is hereby instructed to mature and bring in a bill for withdrawal from circulation the notes of all such banks so offending

Several objections were made and the proposition was not received

The house adjourned

OREGON

Rev H K Hines has returned to his home in La Grande from a business trip to the Cascades

It is now believed by many of the best miners in the country, that there is $5 per day for more than 1 000 miners in the Beaver creek camp 16 miles west of La Grande

Mountain *Sentinel* It is generally conceded by citizens residing in and near La Grande that the article which recently appeared in the La Grande *Gazette* concerning two Indians hanging above Oro Dell and one shot below Island City is cold blooded humbug conjured up in the petite brain of the Pea Ridger

General Beauregard is writing a Narrative of the War of Secession which will show how the war might have been prolonged if his advice had been followed

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

TO BOTH BRANCHES OF THE 45TH CONGRESS

FELLOW CITIZENS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Our cordial greeting is due to you Duty bidden you to the capital of the nation for the discharge of important trusts upon the last day of countless blessings upon our country

OUR NATIONAL PROSPERITY

We are at peace with all other nations Our public credit has greatly improved and is perhaps now stronger than ever before Abundant harvests have rewarded the labors of the husbandmen Our commerce and manufactories are reviving, and in all the departments of business there is manifest progress and prosperity Labor is in demand and fairly remunerated Emigrants are coming to our shores in increasing numbers and find employment at high wages Our railroads are being rapidly extended and are bringing into cultivation new districts of fertile land Our mineral resources are being developed with vigor and success Our system of finance is sound and the usefulness of our national banks is attested by their great number and popularity Our manufactures are increasing in variety and amount and are finding their way into new markets Our inventive genius is taxed to its utmost capacity to supply the demands of our rapidly developing industries Our railroads and steamboats are multiplying the facilities of travel and transportation Our foreign trade is increasing in spite of the general depression of commerce and trade throughout the world Our exports for the fiscal year ending June 30 1878 exceeded the exports of any previous year in our history and the exports for the first quarter of the present fiscal year are greater than for the corresponding quarter of any previous year Our imports for the fiscal year ending June 30 1878 were greater than for any year except the two years preceding and the imports for the first quarter of the present fiscal year are greater than for the corresponding quarter of any previous year

THE FEVER PLAGUE

The enjoyment of health by our people generally has however been interrupted during the past season by the prevalence of the fatal pestilence of yellow fever in some portions of the southern states creating an emergency which called for prompt and extraordinary measures of relief The disease appeared as an epidemic at New Orleans and other places in the lower Mississippi soon after midsummer It was rapidly spread by fugitives from infected cities and towns and did not disappear until early in November The states of Louisiana Mississippi and Tennessee have suffered severely About 10 000 cases are believed to have occurred of which about 20 000 according to intelligent estimates proved fatal It is impossible to estimate with any approach to accuracy the loss to the country occasioned by this epidemic It is to be reckoned by hundreds of millions of dollars The suffering and destitution that resulted excited the deepest sympathy in all parts of the union physicians and nurses hastening from every quarter to the assistance of the afflicted communities Voluntary contributions of money and supplies in every needful form were speedily and generously furnished The government was able to respond in some measure to the call for help by providing tents, medicine and rations for the sick and destitute requisitions for this purpose being given in confident expectation that this action of the executive would receive the sanction of congress About 1 800 tents and rations of the value of about $20 000 were sent to the cities and towns which applied for them full details of which will be furnished to congress by the proper department

SANITARY GOVERNMENT

The fearful spread of the pestilence has awakened a very general public sentiment in favor of a national sanitary administration which shall not only control quarantine but have sanitary supervision of internal commerce in times of epidemic and hold a supervisory relation to state and municipal health authorities with power to deal with whatever endangers the public health and which the municipal and state authorities are unable to regulate The national quarantine act approved April 29 1878 which was passed too late in the last session of congress to provide means for carrying it into practical operation during the past season is a step in this direction here indicated In view of the necessity for the most effective measures by quarantine and otherwise for the protection of seaports and the country generally from this and other epidemics it is recommended that congress give the whole subject early and careful consideration

THE RIGHTS OF CITIZENS

The permanent pacification of the country by the complete protection of all citizens in every civil and political right continues to be of paramount interest with the great body of our people Every step in this direction is welcomed with public approval and every interruption of steady and uniform progress to the desired consummation awakens general uneasiness and widespread condemnation Recent congressional elections have furnished a direct and trustworthy test of the advance thus far made in the practical establishment of be right of suffrage secured by the constitution to the liberated race in the southern states All disturbing influences real and imaginary, have been wiped from all these states Three constitutional amendments which conferred freedom and equality of civil and political rights upon the colored people of the south were adopted by the concurrent action of the great body of good citizens who maintained the authority of the national government and the integrity and perpetuity of the union at such a cost of treasure and life as a wise and necessary embodiment in the organic law of the just results of the war The people of the late slave-holding states accepted these results and gave in every practical form assurances that the 13 h, 14th and 15 h amendments and laws passed in pursuance thereof should in good faith be enforced rigidly and impartially in letter and spirit to the end that the humblest citizen without distinction of race or color should under them receive full and equal protection in person and property and in political rights and privileges By these constitutional amendments and increase of political power in congress and the electoral college the country justly expected that elections would proceed as to the enfranchised race upon the same circumstances of legal and constitutional freedom and protection which obtained in all other states in the union The friends of law and order looked forward to the conduct of these elections as offering to the general judgment of the country an important opportunity to measure the degree in which the right of suffrage could be exercised by the colored people and would be respected by their fellow citizens But more general enjoyment of the freedom of suffrage by colored people at a more just and generous protection of that freedom by the communities of which they form a part were more generally anticipated than the record of elections discloses

THE ELECTION OUTRAGES

In some of those states the colored people have been unable to make their opinions felt in the elections This result is mainly due to influences not easily measured or remedied by legal protection But in the states of Louisiana and South Carolina, at large and in some particular congressional districts outside of these states, the records of election seems to compel the conclusion that the rights of the colored voters have been overridden and their participation in elections not permitted to be either general or free It will be for congress for which these elections were held to make such examination into their conduct as may appropriately determine the validity of the claims of members to their seats In the meantime it becomes the duty of the executive and judicial departments of the government, each in its province to inquire into and punish violations of the laws of the United States which have occurred I can but repeat what I said in this connection in my last message, that whatever authority rests with me to this end I shall not hesitate to put forth and I am unwilling to forego a renewed appeal to the legislatures the courts the executive authorities and the people of the states where these wrongs have been perpetrated to give their support to the efforts to bring to justice the offenders and prevent the repetition of the crimes Within my power will be spared to secure a full and fair investigation of alleged crimes and the conviction and just punishment of the guilty

I regret to say that the appropriation for the expenses of the judicial department of the government in the attorney's office contained the following paragraph "To defray the expenses which may be incurred by the attorney general in the enforcement of the act approved March 3 1871 entitled 'An act to enforce the rights of citizens of the United States to vote in the several states of the union and for other purposes' or any other act or parts thereof or supplementary thereto in the opinion of the attorney general the expenses of these proceedings will largely exceed the amount which was this provided and I rely confidently upon congress to make adequate appropriations to enable the executive department to enforce the laws I respectfully urge upon your attention that congressional elections in every district in a very important sense are justly a matter of political interest and concern throughout the whole country Each state and every political party is entitled to the share of power which is conferred by legal and constitutional suffrage and in the right of every citizen possessing the qualifications prescribed by law to cast one unintimidated ballot and to have his ballot honestly counted So long as the exercise of this power and the enjoyment of this right are common and equal practically as well as formally, submission to the results of the suffrage will be accorded loyally and cheerfully, and all the departments of the government will feel the true vigor of the popular will thus expressed No temporary or administrative interests of the government however urgent or weighty will ever display the zeal of our people in the defense of the primary rights of citizenship They understand that the protection of liberty requires the maintenance in full vigor of the manly methods of free speech free press and free suffrage and will sustain the full authority of the government to enforce the laws which are framed to preserve these inestimable rights

The material progress and welfare of the states depend in the protection all afforded to their citizens There can be no peace without such protection no prosperity without peace and the whole country is deeply interested in the general and proper fulfillment of every part Whether the enjoyment of such protection and the fulfilling and reciprocal confidence between the communities so intimately and so vitally related to each other in all the functions of life can be restored in the union and for other purposes or any of them a law entirely

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Belmont—210 shs 50c 49.

Leopard—440 shs 3¼ 3½

Belle—40 shs 19c.

Manhattan—65 shs $4

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Prize—1415 shs 9¾ 9, 8¾ 8¾ 8¾

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New Cosmopolitan—600 shs 40c

Bodie—125 shs 16¼

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McClintock—640 shs 50c, 40.

Manhattan—60 shs $4.

Red Cloud—50 shs 82½.

Summit—675 shs 1¼, 1 60.

Bulwer—20 shs $16¾

Aurora—800 shs 60c.

Goodshaw—1100 shs 40c, 45, 3c, 30

Oriental—30 shs 40c.

Belvidere—60 shs $1.

Champion—30 shs 15c.

Blackhawk—150 shs $1, 75c

S Bullion—200 65c

Booker—100 shs 90c. $1.

S Standard—300 shs 10c.

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Con Pacific—50 shs 92½.

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has within the past few years made rapid
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progress and is not unreasonably looking
forward to the time when her relations with
the nations of Europe and America shall be
assimilated to those which they hold with
each other A treaty looking to this end has
been made which will be submitted to
consideration of the senate.

THE CHINESE TREATY

After an interval of several years
the Chinese government has made
and a permanent
This have been received
Lee by that government not to be
that this step will be of advantage to both
nations in promoting friendly relations and
removing causes of difference

THE SAMOAN ISLANDS

The treaty with the Samoan Islands has
been duly ratified and accepted on the part of
both governments and is now in operation
and a survey and soundings of the harbor of
Pago Pago has been made by a naval vessel
of the United States with the view of its oc
cupation as a naval station and for such facilities
to the service

RELATIONS WITH MEXICO

Since the resumption of diplomatic relations with Mexico correspondence has been opened and still continues between the two governments upon the various questions which at one time seemed to endanger their relations While no formal agreement has been reached as to the troubles on the border much has been done to repress and diminish them The effective force of U S troops on the Rio Grande by strict and faithful compliance with instructions has done much to remove the sources of disquiet and it is now understood that a like force of Mexican troops on the other side of the river is also making an energetic movement against marauding Indian tribes This government looks with the greatest satisfaction upon every evidence of strength in the national authority of Mexico and upon every effort put forth to prevent or to punish incursions upon our territory and is reluctant to assume any action or attitude in the control of these incursions by military movements across the border not imperatively demanded for the protection of the lives and property of our citizens I shall take the earliest opportunity consistent with the proper discharge of this plain duty to recognize the ability of the Mexican government to restrain effectively all violators of our territory It is proposed to hold next year an international exhibition in Mexico and it is believed that the display of agricultural and manufacturing products of the two nations will tend to a better understanding and increased commercial intercourse between their people

SOUTH AMERICA

With Brazil and the republics of Central and South America some steps have been taken toward the development of closer commercial intercourse Diplomatic relations have been resumed with Columbia and with Bolivia The boundary question between the Argentine Republic and Paraguay has been submitted by those governments for arbitration to the president of the United States and I have after careful examination given a decision upon it A naval expedition up the Amazon and Madeira rivers has brought back information valuable for scientific and commercial purposes A like expedition is about visiting the coast of Africa and the Indian ocean

FOREIGN COMMERCE

The reports of diplomatic and consular officers in relation to the development of our foreign commerce have furnished many facts that have proved of public interest and have stimulated to practical exertion the enterprise of our people

THE CONDITION OF THE TREASURY

The report of the secretary of the treasury furnishes a detailed statement of operations of that department of the government and of the condition of the public finance The ordinary revenues from all sources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 were $257 763 878 70 The ordinary expenditures for the same period were $236 964 326 80 Leaving a surplus revenue for the year of $20 799 551 90 The receipts for the present fiscal year ending June 30 1879 actual and estimated are as follows Actual receipts for the first quarter commencing July 1 1878 Actual expenditures $73 344 573 27 and for the remaining three quarters of the year the expenditures are estimated at $166 755 426 73 making the total expenditures $240 100 000 and leaving the estimated surplus revenue for the year ending June 30 1879 of $24 699 000 The total receipts during the next fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, estimated according to existing laws will be $261 500 000, and the estimated ordinary expenditures for the same period will be $236 800 000 leaving a surplus of $28 179 077 32 for that year In the foregoing statements of expenditures, actual and estimated no amount is allowed for the sinking fund provided for by act approved February 20 1862, which requires that one per cent of the entire debt of the United States shall be purchased or paid within each fiscal year to be set apart as a sinking fund There has been, however subs antial compliance with the conditions of the law By its terms the public debt should have been reduced between 1862 and the close of the last fiscal year, $518 361 806 25 The actual reduction of the ascertained debt in that period has been $720 611 730 61 being in excess of the reduction required by the sinking fund act of $20 225,292 13 The amount of the public debt less cash in the treasury Nov 1 1878 was $2 021 200 083 18 a reduction since the same date of last year of $23 150 617 39 The progress made during the last year in refunding the public debt at lower rates of interest is very gratifying The amount of four per cent bonds sold during the present year prior to November 23d 1878 is $190 270,900 and six per cent bonds, commonly known as five twenties to equal amount have been or will be redeemed as calls mature It has been the policy of the department to place the four per cent bonds within easy reach of every citizen who desires to invest his savings, whether small or great in these securities The secretary of the treasury recommends that the law be so modified that small sums may be invested through the post offices or other agents of the government The freest opportunity should be given in all parts of the country for such investments The best mode suggested is that the department be authorized to issue certificates of denominations of $10 bearing interest at the rate of 3 5 per cent per annum and convertible at any time within one year after issue into the 4 per cent bonds authorized by the refunding act and to be issued only in exchange for U S notes sent to the treasury by mail Or otherwise such provision of law supported by suitable regulations would enable any person readily without cost or risk, to convert his money into interest bearing securities of the United States, and money so received could be applied to the redemption of 6 per cent bonds The coinage of gold during the past fiscal year was $50 798 380

THE SILVER DOLLAR AND RESUMPTION

The coinage of silver dollars under the act passed February 28 1878 amounted on the 2nd of November, 1878 to $19 814 950 of which amount $4 934 947 are in circulation, and the balance $14 880,000 is still in the possession of the government With views unchanged with regard to the act under which the coinage of silver proceeds it has been the purpose of the secretary faithfully to execute the law and to afford a fair trial to the measure In the present financial condition of the country I am persuaded that the welfare of legitimate business and industry of every description will be best promoted by abstaining from all attempts to make radical changes in existing financial legislation Let it be understood that during the coming year the business of the country will be undisturbed by governmental interference with the laws affecting it and we may confidently expect that the resumption of specie payments which will take place at the appointed time will be successfully and easily maintained and that it will be followed by a healthy and enduring revival of business prosperity Let the healing influences of time the inherent energies of our people and the boundless resources of our country have a fair opportunity and relief from present difficulties will surely follow

ARMY MATTERS

The report of the secretary of war shows that the army has been well and economically supplied that no small force has been actively employed and has faithfully performed all the service required of it The morale of the army has improved and the number of deserters has materially decreased during the year The secretary recommends

First—That a pension be granted to the widow of the late Lieutenant Henry H Benner of the 5th infantry who lost his life by yellow fever while in command of the steamer *Wm H Webb* sent with supplies for the relief of sufferers in the south from that disease

Second—For the establishment of the annuity scheme for the benefit of the heirs of deceased officers as suggested by the paymaster general

Third—The adoption by congress of a plan for the publication of the records of the war of the rebellion now being prepared for that purpose

Fourth—The increase of the extra per diem of soldiers teachers employed in post schools and liberal appropriations for the erection of buildings for schools and libraries at the different posts

Fifth—The repeal or amendment of the act of June 18th 1878 forbidding the use of the army as a posse comitatus or otherwise for the purpose of executing the laws except in such cases and under such circumstances as may be expressly authorized by the constitution or by act of congress

Sixth—The passage of a joint resolution of congress, legalizing the issues of rations tents and medicines which were made for the relief of sufferers from yellow fever

Seventh—That provision be made for the erection of a fire proof building for the preservation of certain valuable records now constantly exposed to destruct on by fire

These recommendations are all commended to your favorable consideration

NAVAL AFFAIRS

The report of the secretary of the navy shows that the navy has improved during the last fiscal year Work has been done on 7 vessels 10 of which have been thoroughly repaired and made ready for service Two others are in rapid progress towards completion The total expenditures of the year including the amount appropriated for the deficiencies of the previous years were $17 465 237 60 The actual expenses chargeable to the year exclusive of this deficiencies were $15 085, 911 00 or $767 190 18 less than those of the previous year and $4 928 677 71 less than the expenses including the deficiencies The estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, are $14 462 381 40 exceeding the appropriations of the present year only $3 083 943 which excess is accounted for by the demands of the naval academy and marine corps as explained in the secretary's report The appropriations for the present fiscal year are $14 452 84 79 which in the opinion of the secretary will be ample for all the current expenses of the department during the year The amount drawn from the treasury from July 1st to November 1st, 1878 is $4 740 018 14 of which $70 990 70 has been refunded, leaving as the expenditure for that period, $4 669 563 39 or $3 20 899 24 less than the corresponding period of the last fiscal year

THE POSTAL SERVICE

The report of the postmaster general embraces a detailed statement of the operations of the post office department The expenditures of the department for the fiscal year ending June 30 1878 were $33 165 054 40 100 Receipts including the sale of stamps, money order business and official stamps were $29, 477 516 95 The sum of $200 456 98 included in the foregoing statement of expenditures is chargeable to the preceding years so that the actual expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30 1878 are $33 374 617 50 The amount drawn from the treasury on appropriation in addition to the revenues of the department was $3 397,632 82 The expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30 1880, are estimated at $36,971 100, and the receipts from all sources at $30,661 025 00, leaving a deficiency to be appropriated out of the treasury of $5,907 876 10 The report calls attention to the fact that the compensation of postmasters of railroads for carrying the mail is regulated by law, and that the failure of congress to appropriate the amounts required for these purposes does not relieve the government of the responsibility, but necessarily increases the deficiency bills, which congress will be called upon to pass in providing for postal service The following questions are presented Should congress finally appropriate a sum for its expenses largely in excess of its revenues or should such rates of postage be established as will make the department self sustaining? Should the postal service be reduced by excluding from the mails matter which does not pay its way? Should the number of post routes be diminished? Should other methods be adopted which will increase the revenues or diminish the expenses of postal service?

UNIVERSAL POSTAL SERVICE

The international postal congress, which met at Paris May 1 1878 and continued in session until June 4 h of the same year was composed of delegates from nearly all civilized countries of the world It adopted a new convention to take the place of a treaty concluded at Berne October 9, 1874 Such convention goes into effect on the 1st of April 1879 between the countries whose delegates have signed It was ratified and approved by and with the consent of the president August 13 1878 A synopsis of this universal postal convention will be found in the report of the postmaster general and the full text in the appendix thereto In its origin the postal union comprised 23 countries, having a population of 350 000 000 of people On the 1st of April next it will comprise 43 countries and colonies with a population of more than 650 000 000 of people and will soon by the accession of the new remaining countries and colonies which maintain organized postal services constitute in fact as well as in name, as its new title indicates a universal union regulating upon a uniform basis of cheap postage rates, the postal intercourse between civilized nations Some embarrassment has arisen out of the conflict between the customs laws of this country and the postal conventions in regard to the transmission of foreign books and newspapers to this country by mail It is hoped congress will be able to devise some means remedying the difficulties which have thus been created so as to do justice to all involved

THE U S COURTS

The business of the supreme court and of the circuit courts in many of the circuits, has increased to such an extent during the past year that additional legislation is imperative to relieve and prevent the delay of justice and the possible opposition to suitors which is thus occasioned The annual report of the attorney general and the remedy suggested is earnestly urged for congressional action The creation of additional circuit judges as proposed would afford a complete remedy and would involve an expense at the present rate of salaries of not more than $60, 000 a year

THE INDIAN TROUBLES

The annual reports of the secretary of the interior and of the commissioner of Indian affairs presents an elaborate account of the present condition of the Indian tribes, and of that branch of the public service which ministers to their interests While the conduct of the Indians generally has been orderly and their relations with their neighbors friendly and peaceful two local disturbances have occurred which were deplorable in their character but remained happily confined to a comparatively small number of Indians. Armed contentment among the Bannocks which led to some acts of violence on the part of some members of tribes and finally to the outbreak appears to have been caused by an insufficiency of food on their reservation and this insufficiency has been owing to the inadequacy of the appropriations made by congress to the wants of the Indians at a time when the Indians were prevented from supplying the deficiency by hunting After an armed conflict by the troops of the United States with open engagements the hostile Indians were driven to subjection and the last party of them rendered themselves prisoners

In this connection I desire to call attention to the recommendation by the secretary of the interior that a sufficient fund be placed at the disposal of the executive to be used with proper discretion by the agents in the sudden emergencies of the Indian service The other case of disturbance was that of a band of Northern Cheyennes who suddenly left their reservation in Indian territory and marched in open defiance through the states of Kansas and Nebraska in the direction of their old hunting ground committing murders and other depredations by the way From documents accompanying the report of the secretary of the interior it appears that this disorderly outbreak was fully supplied with the necessaries of life as other Indians in the reservation Their conduct was caused by men of a restless and mischievous disposition among the Indians themselves Almost the whole of this band have surrendered to the military authorities and it is a gratifying fact that when some had taken refuge in the camp of the Red Cloud Sioux with whom they had been in friendly relations the Sioux held them as prisoners and readily gave them up to the officers of the United States thus giving new proof of their loyal spirit Alarming rumors to the contrary notwithstanding, they have quietly shown ever since the wishes they expressed at the council of September 1877 has been complied with By the secretary of the interior and the secretary of war quite in their recommendations that provision be made by congress for the organization of a corps of Indian auxiliaries to be under the control of the army and to be used for the purpose of keeping Indians on their reservations and preventing or repressing disturbances on their part I earnestly concur in this recommendation It is believed that the organization of such a body of Indian cavalry receiving a moderate pay from the government would considerably weaken the restless element among the Indians by withdrawing from it a number of young men and giving them congenial employment under the government It is being a matter of experience that the Indian most will exceptions fulfil in the performance of duties assigned to them such an organization would materially aid the army in the accomplishment of a task for which its numerical strength is sometimes found insufficient But while the employment of a force for the prevention or repression of Indian troubles is of occasional necessity and that wise preparations should be made to that end greater reliance must be placed on humane and civilizing agencies for the ultimate solution of what is called

THE INDIAN PROBLEM

It may be very difficult and require many patient efforts to curb the unruly spirit of the savage Indian to the restraints of civilized life but experience shows that it is not impossible Many of the tribes who are now quiet and orderly and self supporting were once as savage as any that at present roam over the plains from the mountains of the far west and were then considered inaccessible to civilizing influences It may be impossible to raise them fully up to the level of the white population of the United States but we should not forget that they are the aborigines of the country and called the soil their own on which our people have grown rich powerful and happy We owe it to them as a moral duty to help them in attaining at least that degree of civilization which they may be able to reach It is not only our duty but it is also our interest to do so Indians who have become agriculturists or herdsmen and feel an interest in property will be less disposed to be a warlike and disturbing element It is also a well authenticated fact that Indians are apt to be peaceable and quiet when their children are at school and seem gratified to know from expressions of Indians themselves and from many concurring reports that there is a steadily increasing desire even among Indians belonging to comparatively wild tribes to have their children educated I invite attention to the reports of the secretary of the interior and the commissioner of Indian affairs touching the experiment recently inaugurated in taking full blood Indian children boys and girls from different tribes to the Hampton Normal Agricultural Institute in Virginia where they are to receive an elementary English education and training in agriculture and other useful work to be returned to their tribes after the completed course as interpreters instructors and examples It is reported that the officer charged with the selection of those children might have had thousands of young Indians sent with him had it been possible to make provision for them I agree with the secretary of the interior in saying that the result of this interesting experiment if favorable may be destined to become an important factor in the advancement of civilization among the Indians

THE CHANGE OF THE INDIAN SERVICE

The question whether a change in control of the Indian service should be made was at last session of congress referred to a committee for inquiry and report Without desiring to anticipate that report I venture to express a hope that in the decision of so important a question the views expressed above may not be lost sight of and that the decision what ever it may be will arrest the further agitation of this subject such agitation being apt to produce a disturbing effect upon the service as well as on the Indians themselves

THE HOT SPRINGS COMMISSION

In the enrollment for the bill making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the last session of congress that portion which provided for the continuation of the Hot Springs commission was omitted As the commission had completed the work of taking testimony on many conflicting claims the suspension of their labors before determining the rights of claimants threatened for a time to embarrass the interest not only of government but those of a large number of citizens of Hot Springs who were waiting to final action on their claims before beginning contemplated improvements In order to prevent serious difficulties which were apprehended at a cessation of many leading interests of Hot Springs and others interested in the welfare of the town the secretary of the interior was authorized to request the commission to take charge of the records of their proceedings and to perform such work as could properly be done by them under such circumstances to facilitate the future adjudication of claims at an early date and to preserve the status of claimants until their rights should be finally determined The late commissioners complied with that request and report that the testimony in all the cases has been written out and so arranged as to facilitate an early settlement when authorized by law It is recommended that requisite authority be given as early a day in the session as possible and that fair compensation be allowed the late commissioners for expense incurred and the labor performed by them since the 20th of June last

THE PRESERVATION OF TIMBER ON PUBLIC LANDS

I invite the attention of congress to the recommendations made by the secretary of the interior with regard to the preservation of timber on public lands of the United States The protection of public property is one of the first duties of government The department of the interior should therefore be enabled by sufficient appropriations to enforce the laws in that respect but this matter appears still more important as a question of public economy Rapid reduction of our forests is an evil fraught with the gravest consequences especially in mountainous districts where the rocky slopes once denuded of their trees, will remain so forever The injury once done cannot be repaired I fully concur with the secretary of the interior in the opinion that for this reason legislation touching the public timber in the mountain states and territories of the west should be carefully considered and that existing laws restricting the reservation of forests is not sufficiently guarded against should be speedily modified A general law concerning this important subject appears to me to be a matter of urgent public necessity

AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS

From the organization of the government the importance of encouraging by all possible means the increase of our agricultural productions has been acknowledged and urged upon the attention of congress and the people as the surest and most means of increasing our substantial and enduring prosperity The words of Washington are as applicable to day as when in his eighth annual message he said It is not to be doubted that with reference either to individual or national welfare agriculture is of primary importance In proportion as nations advance in population and other circumstances of maturity that truth becomes more apparent and renders the cultivation of the soil more and more an object of public patronage Institutions for promoting it grow up supported by the public purse and to what object can it be dedicated with greater propriety Among the means which have been employed to this end none have been attended with greater success than the establishment of boards composed of proper characters charged with collecting and diffusing information and enabled by premiums and small pecuniary aids, to encourage and assist a spirit of discovery and improvement This species of establishment is contributing doubly to the increase and improvement by stimulating to enterprise and experiment, and by drawing to a common center the results everywhere of individual skill and observation and spreading them thence over the whole nation Experience accordingly hath shown that they are very cheap instruments of immense national benefit The great preponderance of the agricultural over any other interest in the United States entitles it to all the consideration claimed for it by Washington About one half of the population of the United States are engaged in agriculture The value of the agricultural products of the United States for the year 1878 is estimated at three thousand million of dollars The export of agricultural products for the year 1878, as appears from the report of the bureau of statistics is $459 000 000 The great extent to our country with its diversity of soil and climate enables us to produce within our borders and by our own labor not only the necessaries but most of the luxuries that are consumed in civilized countries Not having to purchase our advantages of soil climate and intercommunication appears from the statistical statements in the report of the commissioner of agriculture that we imported annually from foreign lands many millions of dollars worth of agricultural products which could be raised in our own country Numerous questions arise in the practice of advanced agriculture which can only be answered by experiments of a costly and sometimes fruitless nature are beyond the means of private individuals and are unjust and proper charge on the whole nation For the benefit of the many it is a good policy especially in times of depression and uncertainty in other business pursuits with a vast area of uncultivated land like unproductive territory to open upon liberal settlement measures and to encourage every proper and legitimate means for the development and tillage of the soil Experiments of the department of agriculture stimulate it and introduce new agricultural staples and interests, to improve the quality and increase the quantity of our products to date unite the value as old or establish the importance of new modes of culture use worthy of your careful and favorable consideration and assistance by such appropriations of money and enlargement of facilities as may seem to be demanded by the present favorable condition for the growth and rapid development of this important interest

THE TREATMENT OF ANIMALS

The abuse of animals in transit is widely attracting public attention A national convention of societies specially interested in the subject has recently met at Baltimore and the facts developed both in regard to cruelties to animals, and the effect of such cruelties upon the public health now seem to demand the careful consideration of congress and the enactment of more efficient laws for the prevention of the abuses

EDUCATION

The report of the commissioner of the bureau of education shows very gratifying progress of the country in all its educational interests in the cause of education The report is especially encouraging with respect to the extension of advantages of the common school system in the sections of the country where the general enjoyment of the privileges is not yet attained So education more than to all other agencies are we to look as a source for advancement of the people in the requisite knowledge and appreciation of their rights and especially duties as citizens and I desire to repeat the suggestion contained in my former message in behalf of the enactment of appropriate measures by congress for the purpose of supplementing, with national and local systems of education in the several states and for adequate accommodation of the great library which is overgrowing the capacity of the rooms now occupied Rooms at the capitol should be provided without further delay This invaluable collection of books, manuscripts and illustrative art has grown to such proportions in connection with the copyright system of the country as to demand the prompt and careful attention of congress to save it from injury in its present crowded and insufficient quarters As this library is national in its character and must from the nature of the case increase even more rapidly in the future than in the past it cannot be doubted that the people will sanction any wise expenditure to preserve and enlarge its usefulness

THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTE

The appeal of the agents of the Smithsonian Institute for means to organize exhibit and make available for public benefit the articles now stored away belonging to the national museum I heartily recommend it to your consideration

THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The attention of congress is again invited to the condition of the river front of the city of Washington It is a matter of vital importance to the health of the residents of the national capitol both temporary and permanent that the low lands in front of the city now subject to tidal overflow should be reclaimed In their present condition these flats obstruct the drainage of the city and are a dangerous source of malarial poison The reclamation will improve the navigation of the river by restricting and deepening its channel and is also of importance when considered in connection with the extension of the public grounds and the enlargement of the park west and south of the Washington monument The report of the board of survey heretofore ordered by act of congress on the improvement of the harbor of Washington and Georgetown, is respectfully commended to consideration The report of the commissioners of the District of Columbia presents a detailed statement of the affairs of the district relative to expenditures by the United States and the district for local purposes as contrasted showing, that the expenditures by the people of the district greatly exceed those of the general government The exhibit is made in connection with estimates for requisite repairs of defective pavements and sewers of the city which is work of immediate necessity And in the same connection a plan is presented for permanent funding of the outstanding securities of the district The improvement reform and penal institutions of the district are all entitled to the favorable attention of congress The reform school needs additional buildings and teachers Appropriations which will place all of these institutions in a condition to become models of usefulness and benevolence will be regarded by the country as liberality wisely bestowed The commissioners with evident justice request attention to the discrimination made by congress against the District in the donation of land for the support of the public schools In fact that the same liberality that has been shown to the inhabitants of the various states and territories of the United States be extended to the District of Columbia

The commissioners also invite attention to the damage inflicted on private and private interests by the present location of the depots and switching tracks of the several railroads entering the city and ask for legislation looking to their removal The recommendations and suggestions contained in the report I trust will receive the careful consideration of congress

Sufficient time has perhaps not elapsed since the reorganization of the government of the district under the recent legislation of congress for the expression of a confident opinion as to its successful occupation The practical results already attained are so satisfactory that the friends of the new government may well urge upon congress the wisdom of its continuance with essential modifications until by actual experience its advantages and defects may be more fully ascertained R B HAYES

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We print this document in full to day It is not a remarkable production There is in it little that is original most of its matter being a compilation from departments reports which have already been given to the public or a review of affairs connected with the government of which the leading points have heretofore received publicity through the columns of news gatherers There is much tedious and barren discussion of financial questions On this subject of paramount importance the president says that he is disposed, he seemingly prefers to get on smoothly with the advocates of the fallacies and theories of the time rather than combat them and do his part toward the enforcement of sound principles courageously believing it safer to conciliate a dangerous fallacy than to fight it Hence the message contains no statement of the financial situation worthy of the occasion and no recommendations on the subject such as the time requires It is indeed suggested that there be no radical change in existing financial legislation but the president does not state what every intelligent person sees namely that our existing financial legislation is clumsy and incongruous that it is a disturbing element in business, that the attempt to maintain two monetary standards differing widely in value must surely produce disorder and ultimately fail and that the forcing of underweighted silver coin into our circulation must either defeat resumption or finally bring the currency and business of the country down to the level of debased silver The president knows all this and where could it be stated with more propriety and potency than in his message to congress? If we are not to look for a courageous exposition of sound doctrine in such a document and on such an occasion when and where should we expect it?

A notable part of the message is that which refers to outrages on the right of suffrage in several of the southern states Readers will see what it is that has so fired Ben Hill's indignation In reality the statements are quite moderate It is notorious that in many places the rights of the colored voters were overridden particularly in South Carolina and Louisiana and nothing is gained by attempts to deny it The methods employed have been fully exposed The tissue paper majorities in South Carolina and the murders in Louisiana tell a story that nothing can gainsay It would be better to admit the facts and attempt to justify them on the ground that the southern whites do not think it proper to allow the negro to vote, are resolved to prevent it and consider all means justified by the end There are laws to punish these violations of the rights of citizens, and no doubt the president means what he says when he declares that he will spare no means in his power to investigate and punish the outrages that have been committed But there is great simplicity in his statement that he relies confidently on congress to make adequate appropriations to enable the executive department to enforce the laws,—that is if he really believes congress will do it This is one of the questions which goes to 1880 for discussion Then the people of the northern states will decide by their ballots whether they like it that the southern whites, besides exercising the right to send members to represent themselves in congress shall also send a large additional number, based on the colored population which is practically disfranchised.

Except this feature of the message no part of it seems to have attracted any great attention We cannot say much for the energy of the document and whoever looks into it for a "policy" of any kind will be disappointed Perhaps it is well enough so, as coming from President Hayes, but we should like at this time to see in a president's message what such a man as Bayard, Blaine or Conkling would say on financial affairs and on topics of similar importance

SCIENTIFIC BALLOT BOXING

A good deal has been said of the tissue paper ballots with which the ballot boxes in South Carolina were stuffed at the recent election and the Cincinnati *Gazette*, having obtained one of the ballots, prints a fac simile of it on the same kind of paper as the original One of them was inclosed in each copy of a recent issue of the *Gazette*, so that readers could see a specimen of this minute instrument of fraud which disfranchised the Republicans of the state The manner in which these little jokers were used is thus described From twenty to thirty of them were folded into a regular ballot and dropped into the box, and during the day one of the judges would occasionally stir up the contents so that the tissue ballots would get well shaken out Meanwhile bogus names were written upon the registers so as to have the number of names correspond with the number of votes Whenever there was a surplus in the box a blindfolded individual would withdraw the extra number but was not so blind as to take out any of the tissue tickets The managers of the fraud had full possession of the election boards no political opponent being allowed a seat in them, or as witnesses of the counting In some of the precincts they stuffed in more ballots than the entire number of inhabitants of both sexes and all ages Len Hill gets mad in the senate and rails at the president because the latter has expressed the opinion in his message that these and other proceedings employed for the purpose of making a solid south are not quite fair or commendable

THE NEXT STEP

Among a few persons there is a lingering timidity to the Northern Pacific railroad which survives the effort made in our last election to help the political fortunes of certain individuals by getting up unnecessary opposition to this great enterprise The railroad question was a catspaw for politicians who wanted to secure new lease of office The course was taken which they considered best for their interests and purposes, but the judgment was a false one, and the expectations based upon it were disappointed Things of a totally impracticable nature were demanded Because they were not conceded a bitter fight was made and now there are signs that this same influence for the sake perhaps of indicating its poor consistency would still do the enterprise all the further injury it can The effort made a year ago to cripple the undertaking under pretens of and fight will now probably be succeeded by an open endeavor to destroy it This is taking the shape of a demand that congress shall pass a resolution declaring the forfeiture of the grant Since the company have announced their intention to rely on the original charter and push on with the road asking nothing more of congress there are new exclamations of disapproval from the old source of opposition It seems to be feared that this company will act and build their road though these opponents have no reason for their hostility but other than that which grows out of their own efforts against it We shall not now be surprised to see Mr Mitchell make an effort to deprive the company of the whole grant As for ourselves we wanted a new bill enacted which would make the road an Oregon enterprise without imposing other restrictions that would kill it Now this object was defeated we admit there is no account If now nothing of this kind can be secured we desire nevertheless for the general development of the northwest that the company be permitted to go on with their road if they can Oregon will come out all right at last Our state is too important a factor to be ignored in any scheme of development that awaits the northwest What ever the future may be we shall have a large and leading share of it

LOCKERLY CHARACTERIZED

The La Grande *Gazette* actually attempts a defense or justification of the murder by hanging of two Indians near the town and of its own disgraceful comments upon the act But the editor of the *Gazette* whoever he may be is too feebly dull to effect more than an exhibition of his own pusillanimous nature We characterized the murder of these Indians and the *Gazette's* shameful glee over the act in such terms as assassination and its abetment deserve The rejoinder of that paper in which justification is actually and seriously attempted confirms the justice of what we said But to show that there is better sentiment in the eastern part of the state than that reflected by the *Gazette* we reproduce the following from the *Sentinel*, a paper published in the same county

THE OREGONIAN administers a sharp and it the same time a just reproof to our neighboring contemporary of La Grande In consequence of a barbarous article printed by the latter a few weeks ago The subject matter of the article in question was the finding of the bodies of two Indians stark dead and ghastly suspended by the necks from a tree in the vicinity of La Grande, evidently the work of worse savages than the murdered red men in their wildest time The article in question was a disgrace to a civilized community, and was evidently the maggot of a diseased brain Aside from the barbarity of a public journal having pretensions to decency commenting on such a matter in a flippant manner thereby implying that the murder was acquiesced in by the editor such savage proceedings will work a terrible injury Human nature will assert itself no matter what color the frame may be that surrounds the heart, and the kinsmen of the Indians will be recreant to human nature if they do not seek to wreak a vengeance on the murderers of their friends the law is powerful and will undoubtedly punish those who insult its majesty The Indians should be punished by the proper authorities but not by self appointed executioners. The acts of a few bloodthirsty madmen may deluge the entire community with blood therefore we hope we have heard the last of these execrable outrages

The Seattle *Tribune* is wrong in crediting to a leading newspaper of Oregon that sentiment of political injustice and immorality which has declared that Washington territory because she has elected a Republican delegate need expect no favors from a Democratic congress, and must not be admitted as a state because electoral votes would thereby probably be made against the Democrats in 1880 it was no leading newspaper of Oregon that said this but only the Portland *Standard* which wants to be a Democratic organ, but which because of its imbecility and dishonesty, is repudiated by all Democrats of intelligence and breadth here and elsewhere It is not fair in the Seattle *Tribune* to reproduce the drivel of this organ as a specimen of Oregon insolence and injustice Our state does not wish to treat Washington territory as a "mere tail to Oregon's political kite Nor does she wish to prevent the admission of Washington as a state The press of the territory should not mistake Tony's jerky tat too on the little brass kettle for an expression of the opinion of the people of Oregon

The New York *Times* is a journal which addresses itself to the appreciation of the educated and intelligent classes of the American people It is bold, energetic and aggressive and at the same time free from every tendency to corruseness, it is the cadus, Republican paper of the United States and yet thoroughly independent its correspondence is unsurpassed its editorial page is on the whole the ablest of any New York journal and its special articles on literature, science and art are notable for variety and general excellence Its news is full and comprehensive, and even in its news there is a cultivated style far different from the negligence that characterizes this department in most of the leading journals The *Times* is making steady progress in the great field which it is its aim to fill

One who isn't ashamed of being found out in having abetted a steal of ten thousand dollars out of the state treasury of course there are no compunctious visitings of nature on account of the steal itself—cannot reasonably be expected to have any shame for the thousand falsehoods be printed in relation to the Card business In fact he will naturally continue to repeat those untruths with as much assurance as he glories in the raid on the state treasury Pilfering and falsehood ever go together as two shameless imps sworn to each other's purposes

The president transmitted with his message estimates showing in detail the sums asked for the public service for the year ending June 30 1880 It is mentioned as a curious fact that while the totals for the departments have been kept strictly within the appropriations made by the last congress, the Democratic house which made so much noise about reductions appears at the very opening of the book with increased estimates of over $61 000 most of which is for payments on account of distributions of patronage

Having made a solid south such statesmen as Senator Gordon of Georgia are now haranguing on the untimeliness and impropriety of a "solid north In time, perhaps, they may be made to see the real cause of northern solidity Meanwhile there is an amazing exhibition of inconsistency those who declaim against the wickedness of a solid south just at the time when their own present and unanimous candidates make it such are crowned with success

The question is mooted whether since the British have their way to the Afghan capital it will not be well to army there to England send a little detachment to that country as the Romans were in the habit of doing in their march to that city Will it be well to call a similar

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TWO BEDROOMS WITH FOLDING DOORS between also a large and handsome front room Eastlake furniture and carpet centre table etc also a smaller room new furniture new house on Seventh 2d house from Oak between State and Oak west side Call after 4 P M.

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FOR SUCH DAYS MONDAY TUESDAY AND Friday unoccupied For particulars apply to WOODWARD & CONNELL First and Washington streets n26dtf

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LOST

ON FIRST STREET A LIGHT RED SETTER DOG white spot in forehead with leather collar and small brass plate The finder will be paid on returning him to 1 C TUCKLE No 31 Yamhill st. d4dt

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE FIRM OF CREIGHTON & STEARNS IS this day dissolved by mutual consent W H Creighton assuming all liabilities and being authorized to collect all debts due the firm.

W H CREIGHTON.
F M STEARNS.

Referring to the above the Real Estate & Auction business will be continued at the old stand, 313 First street, under the firm name of CREIGHTON & CO

MEDICAL COLLEGE EXERCISES.

THE THIRTEENTH REGULAR COURSE OF Lectures of the MEDICAL DEPARTMENT of the WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY will be introduced with a Public Address by PROF R GLISAN M D ir the Taylor street M E Church on Monday evening December 16 1878. The Exercises will be enjoyable and a full house is respected U P S PLUMMER, M.D. n30d&wtd Dean of the Faculty.

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Wheat

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 5—Floating cargoes steady cargoes on passage steady demand Mark Lane firm

Quotations of good cargoes

Sam. lots of fine to prime new crop shipping California wheat 100 lbs Queenslands for orders nearly due 1 s 6d Fair average shipment during present month at 4s 7d Am terms 4s 8d

English country markets firm

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Deliveries during the week 30

LIVERPOOL Dec 2—Wheat—Spot steady Fair to choice shipping 10s 6d@10s 1d Fair to prime shipping 9s 8d@9s 10d refined Am spot No 2 to No 1 9s@9s 7d

San Francisco Produce Markets.

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Wheat 51 sacks offered to millers sales California in fair shipping Flour—Quiet and steady

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TUESDAY MORNING DEC 5 1876

CITY.

ORGANIZATION—Some time ago Mr J R [illegible] who has been connected—in the [illegible] office of the Department of the Co [illegible] office for several years, tendered his resig [illegible] Tuesday it took effect and Mr Daw [illegible] filled from the position which he has [illegible] efficiently and satisfactory Just be- [illegible] took formal leave of the office Mr [illegible] was presented with a large and ele- [illegible] second volume of Gustave Dores Gal [illegible] The book cost in the vicinity of $ [illegible] is purchased by all the officers con [illegible] with the department at Vancouver [illegible] by Gen O O Howard and was [illegible] responded to by the recipient The [illegible] was appropriate and merited and [illegible] the degree of appreciation in which [illegible] is held by those with whom he [illegible] associated officially and socially [illegible] has accepted the position of [illegible] of the Merchants Protective Union [illegible]

ARMY REUNION—A meeting was [illegible] the members of George Wright Post [illegible] Tuesday evening It was resolved [illegible] hours of the post be thrown open to [illegible] at the reunion to be held next [illegible] evening A cordial invitation is ex- [illegible] ladies and gentlemen Extensive [illegible] have been made and to those [illegible] a very enjoyable time is assured [illegible] will be made by Rev J A Cruzan [illegible] Eliot Mayor W S Newbury and [illegible] The addresses will be interspersed [illegible] and instrumental music

SCHOOL HOUSE—Mr J M [illegible] the contractor for the new school [illegible] located on Park street, has crowded [illegible] forward very rapidly All the work [illegible] by the terms of the contract to be [illegible] this winter, has been completed [illegible] has been enclosed and is in a [illegible] condition for the winter storms [illegible] during the interior work will be [illegible] finished to completion It is [illegible] that the new building will be ready [illegible] sometime next August

COUNTY COURT—The case of State vs [illegible] Crawford under indictment for the [illegible] rape was concluded in the state on [illegible] Tuesday evening The jury was [illegible] 2 minutes past 10 o'clock and [illegible] a verdict of guilty as charged [illegible] indictment On motion of M C [illegible] counsel for the defendant the time [illegible] sentence was enlarged ten days to [illegible] the defense to file an application for a [illegible]

FAIR—The ladies connected with [illegible] Taylor street M E church have nearly [illegible] arrangements for their fair, and it [illegible] opened at Good Templar hall next [illegible] evening The proceeds are to be [illegible] to the purchase of an organ for the [illegible] There is no doubt that the occasion [illegible] a highly interesting and hope the at- [illegible] will be such as to make it profitable

ARRIVED EAST—Mr John Dudley, chief [illegible] of the Portland Water Works, will [illegible] passenger on the steamship *Oregon* on a [illegible] visit home in Lowell, Massachu- [illegible] after an absence of twenty years He [illegible] to remain about six weeks

AMUSEMENTS.

The New Market Theater was crowded [illegible] on the occasion of the fourth ap- [illegible] of Callender's famous Georgia min- [illegible] The very liberal patronage which has [illegible] these minstrels is a sufficient [illegible] endorsement of their merits [illegible] and enthusiastic audiences [illegible] greeted the performers The [illegible] was in no respect inferior to [illegible] on previous occasions The [illegible] and sketches were capital, and [illegible] by the auditors To night [illegible] will present the Bohee banjo [illegible] six banjos, the first of the kind [illegible] The minstrels' first part, [illegible] and scenery are handsomely [illegible] Remember, there is a [illegible] programme each night. These [illegible] remain here only one week. Do [illegible] them

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, Dec 4, 1876

DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J
W C Griswold—Cause still on trial.

CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY J
J D Merryman, shipping commis- [illegible] of Astoria, of money belonging to de- [illegible] deserted seamen amounting to [illegible] received and the clerk directed [illegible] the money in the registry of the [illegible]

CIRCUIT COURT—BELLINGER J
State of Oregon vs Charles Gaul—Time for [illegible] judgment enlarged until Thurs- [illegible]
State of Oregon vs James Johnson—Motion [illegible] of venue overruled.
State of Oregon vs Charles Crawford—In- [illegible] verdict of guilty—time for pro- [illegible] enlarged 10 days
State of Oregon vs [illegible] Preston—Former judg- [illegible] affirmed.
State of Oregon vs Ed Pullen—Indictment [illegible] as to Ed Pullen
State of Oregon vs James Johnson—Indicted [illegible] murder in the first degree. Forty-eight [illegible] were examined from which the follow- [illegible] were chosen G Lunerman J C Stover [illegible], H. C Shattuck, D S. Dunbar, [illegible] Zimmerman, Gilmore Kelly, W. G. [illegible] A. Z Dunbar, Isaac Kay, E O Corson

COUNTY COURT—RICE, J
COMMISSIONERS
Ordered, Justice of the Peace for East [illegible] tenders his resignation as such offi- [illegible] Court accepts and appoints T J [illegible] to fill the vacancy

POLICE COURT—ADAMS J
Drunk and disorderly—S Coyle $10, R Hau- [illegible] Dodson $10 S Perry, $10, J Dalton, [illegible], $10, J Burns $10, J Wait, $5

RELIGIOUS NOTES

[Advocate.]

The Church of Taylor Street M E. Church [illegible] their in the Good Templar's hall on [illegible] and Wednesday evenings next week [illegible] preparation has been made for [illegible]

The Congregational Chapel is about to be [illegible] in Holladay's addition, size 34x58 The [illegible] foundation was laid five or six years ago [illegible] upon this foundation a neat Gothic [illegible] will soon be commenced Dr Atkin- [illegible] after it, and that insures its suc- [illegible] ultimation

The Presbytery had the pleasure of receiv- [illegible] into church fellowship last [illegible] who joined the Taylor Street church [illegible] by report from others, but suppose all [illegible] more or less in the fruits of the [illegible] The [illegible] meeting last Sabbath was [illegible] and profitable Conversions are [illegible] almost every day in connection with [illegible] L. G. & services.

PORTLAND CITY ELECTION

[illegible] received the "finishing touches" [illegible] and is now entitled to the name of [illegible] The election passed off pleasantly, al- [illegible] there were three tickets in the field [illegible] the contest waxed warm. At a [illegible] up in the evening it was found that [illegible] had been chosen to [illegible] municipal affairs the ensuing [illegible] S T Hembree, Ike Samp- [illegible] Joseph Huston and L G. [illegible] J. F. Harris; marshal, Jesse [illegible] Odell.

THE PAINTER, is in Portland [illegible] work in house or sign paint [illegible] to give him a call Orders [illegible] at Thompson & Holden's, 165 [illegible] Stark for ahead, to-morrow

BRIEF NOTES.

Clear and cold

Read the new ads

Minstrels to night

The river is coming up

Police court business light

Read the president's message

The steamer *Idaho* arrived here last even- [illegible] ing

Drift wood passing in considerable quanti- [illegible] ties

Go and see the six banjo performers to- [illegible] night

Look out for THE WEEKLY ORE GONIAN to- [illegible] morrow

There are at present 61 patients provided for at St Vincent's Hospital

The steamers *Great Republic* and *Geo H Elder* will sail from San Francisco next Saturday morning

The steamer *McMinnville* which collided with the *Tacoma* a few days ago is now on the ways at the boneyard undergoing repairs

PERSONAL

Frank I Hodghin Esq assistant secretary of state came down from the capital last evening We acknowledge a pleasant call from that gentleman He will return this afternoon

Manager Maguire Judge Goodwin of the Virginia City *Enterprise* Mr Frank Mayo and Miss Georgie Woodthorpe made a flying trip to the Cascades yesterday to take a view of the river scenery

Capt M C Wilkinson U S A has been granted eight months leave of absence dating from the 1st inst His very many friends will be glad to know that he will spend the time in Portland

Mr F H Lamb superintendent of this division of the Western Union Telegraph Co and Mr Daniel I Leahy manager of the office in this city are both passengers on the outgoing steamer for San Francisco These gentlemen will be absent about two weeks A pleasant trip and a safe return

TOTAL RECEIPTS

The following are the receipts realized at the Catholic fair

Table No 1 presided over by Mesdames Zan, Petram, and J Kelly $1 400 10

Table No 2 presided over by Mesdames Brady Rogers and Williams, $942 85

Table No 3, presided over by Mesdames O Neill Lewiston and Healy $1 165 00

Table No 4 presided over by Mesdames Malarkey Carroll and D Kelly $1 100 00

Received at the door $256 20

Refreshment tables presided over by Mrs E Cashen and Miss Maggie Nyhan $48 80

Candy stand presided over by Miss Linda Munroe and Nettie Herman $66 18

Wheel of fortune $2

Post office presided over by Miss Emma O Connor Miss L Smith and Miss Maggie Gorman $91

Total amount received $3 997 72

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

James Kennedy to Vincent McCullough lot 3, blk 191 city—$100

James Kennedy to V McCullough and R. Martin, lot 4, blk 72, Albina—$300

Caroline Couch to R Reid and F W McLean, lots 2 and 3 blk 8 Couch's Add—$2,000

SATISFACTION

John Wilson and wife to B F Smith Nov 7 1868 $1 500—3 30 feet of lot 1 blk 50 city

We note with sincere pleasure the increasing interest which the study of music of late is eliciting in our midst In our article last week on this subject, we were not aware of the fact that a school of music was already in successful operation in our city Mr R. A Clark a gentleman of high culture and large experience in music, has opened a conservatory of music on First street between Morrison and Yamhill where he proposes to teach the science in its various branches. A singing class for the benefit of beginners is now in successful operation, and we understand that in a few months Mr Clark proposes to form this class into a choral society which will be the pride of the city His class already numbers some of the most interesting young ladies and gentlemen of Portland and the number is constantly increasing Mr Clark has been teaching music in Virginia City for a number of years, and comes to us with very high recommendations in every respect His experience of twelve years certainly gives him a great advantage in this matter and that fact, coupled with his cultivated taste, is sufficient guarantee that what he undertakes in this direction, will be successfully accomplished The piano and organ will also be taught in his school, but that which will receive his special attention will be vocalization The culture of the voice on physiological principles is a branch of music which our people have only of late had the opportunity to avail themselves of and now that they have that opportunity, let those interested use it His system in vocalization is that of the best French and Italian masters For particulars see advertisement in another column

Go to Ackerman Bros

Barnes at 65 First street, is fitting up for the holidays

For anything from a quail on toast" to boiled beef go to Voos'

John Cotter is now located on Morrison between First and Second streets

Kid gloves and silk umbrellas just in season at Harris' emporium of fashion

Ladies! note the display of cloaks and suits at Harris' Emporium of Fashion

All kinds of Canvas at Mrs Charles Tichner's, corner 1st and Yamhill streets

Stamping for the holidays a specialty at Butterick's Pattern Store No 64 Morrison st

Ladies' elegant ready made suits for $15 at Mrs Pilger's dress making establishment Alder street near First

Abell a reputation as a photographer is now established and people flock to get their pictures taken at his establishment See his displays

Theatrical Costumes —Send stamp for price list of masquerade suits, all kinds of masks for sale and wigs and beards for rent at Mrs Charles Tichner Portland Oregon

Commercial travelers and others will find the Walla Walla Hotel and Restaurant the best place at The Dalles to procure a comfortable bed and first-class meal

Another new and large supply of ladies cloaks just received at the Great American Store of Comstock & Pfluger, Centennial block—the middle store between Morrison and Yamhill streets—for sale at the usual low prices

Albert Bartsch has received by the steamship *Oregon* an additional stock of Pianos and Organs, which he offers the public for the holidays at very liberal prices Fine upright pianos from $350 upwards to best Steinway A selection for all customers Call and see. He respectfully asks a trial and an examination of prices in comparison to others Third street near Taylor Portland Oregon

INTERESTING TO LADIES — Dickey's 'Creme de Lis' has now been before the public for ten years during which time this beautiful preparation has met with the highest approval at the hands of the fair sex—being as all who have used it will verify the only perfect preparation of its kind Every ingredient entering the composition of Dickey's 'Creme de Lis' is subjected to the most rigid test of modern Chemistry, to insure the uniformity and purity of its constituents and neither time nor expense have been spared to make it perfect—it being well known the public will appreciate and support a truly meritorious article Several new beautifiers under various names have lately started into existence, but Dickey's "Creme de Lis" has no competition in merit. Sold by all druggists

COMMON COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING DEC 4 1876

Last evening a regular meeting of the common council was held at the chambers at 7 30 o clock

His Honor Mayor Newbury presided J P Durham auditor and clerk and Chief Besser in attendance

Members present—Andrus Opitz Payne, Simon, Stephens Stolte Weber and Yocum

Absent—Lambert

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved

COMMUNICATIONS

A communication was received from the council of Victoria British Columbia enclosing a map of the city and also charts of the sewers The communication was placed on file the map was ordered to be properly framed and the clerk was authorized to acknowledge in appropriate manner the receipt of the communication and map

Communications were received from Wm Davis Ed and Lilen Murphy and John Cain in relation to the reward promised for the apprehension and conviction of Archie Brown These parties claimed certain sums, late sums for their agency in securing the arrest of Brown The several communications were referred to the committee on health and police

A communication was received from Capt N Ingersoll calling the attention of the council to a large pool of stagnant water situated on the south side of Hall street between First and Second and asking for the abatement of the nuisance referred to the committee on health and police

A remonstrance from J B Price and others against establishing a ferry landing at the foot of Oak street referred to the committee on landings and wharves

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REPORTS

From the committee on accounts and current expenses in relation to the final adjustment of the claims made by several persons for assisting in the arrest of Archie Brown the report was adopted

From the committee on streets in relation to the report of the viewers in the matter of constructing the Alder street sewer declaring the probable cost estimation, damages etc the report of the committee was adopted

From the same committee the following report

To the Hon the Common Council of the City of Portland Your committee on streets and public property, to whom was referred the investigation of the charges preferred by Councilman Stephens against C P Elwanger deputy superintendent of streets beg leave to report that upon an examination of the witnesses produced by Councilman Stephens your committee are of opinion that the charges are not proved or sustained and would therefore recommend that such charges be dismissed

Your committee understood Councilman Stephens to agree with the conclusion arrived at he having been present at the examination of such witnesse

The testimony taken and the papers referred to the committee are herewith returned to the council for [illegible]

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The following report was read from committee on accounts and current expenses and adopted

To the Hon the Common Council of the City of Portland—GENTLEMEN As directed by resolution adopted November 6 your committee on accounts and current expenses have endeavored to procure suitable rooms for a council chamber and office as We have examined several suits of rooms, none of which are suitable We have also endeavored to secure more favorable terms from Mr Corbett and learn from him that if the council will enter into a lease for the term of three years, at a monthly rental of $50 per month he will be willing to make such a reduction In view of the fact that we have been unable to procure other rooms which would be suitable we would therefore recommend that your committee be authorized to renew the lease of the present rooms for the term of three years at a monthly rental of $50 per month

F OPITZ
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From the city attorney in relation to the lateral extension or widening of North Second street Filed

From the chief of police in relation to the number of days worked by city prisoners during the month just passed Filed

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The following claims against the city were ordered paid

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ORDINANCES

From Councilman Stolte—To establish and maintain a ferry landing at the foot of Oak street referred to committee on landings and wharves

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From the committee on accounts and current expenses authorizing the completion and publication of the city charter and ordinances read three times and passed

Same committee authorizing the lease of certain rooms in Corbett's building for city offices read twice and laid over

The following ordinances were introduced by the committee on streets

For the relief of John Costello and John Gibson read twice and laid over

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Making an appropriation out of the Stark street sewer fund passed

Declaring the probable cost of laying a pipe sewer along C street from Second street to the Willamette river, read twice and laid over.

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From Councilman Yocum—regulating the number of police officers and fixing the compensation of the same, read twice and laid over

ENGROSSED ORDINANCES

Adopting the report of the viewers in the matter of the lateral extension or widening of North Second street passed

Declaring the probable cost of improving North Eighth street passed

Making an appropriation out of the North Eighth street fund passed

Providing for the time and manner of improving C street from Front to Tenth passed

Authorizing the construction of fire cisterns at the intersection of D and North First street and Eleventh and Madison streets passed

Making final appropriation out of the general fund passed

Authorizing certain repairs to a public building passed

Reading bills in full passed

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were read and adopted

Resolved That the auditor be authorized and directed to draw warrants in favor of C W Burrage L Mendenhall and P W Collette for the amounts due for services in assessing the several lots and tracts of land in the [illegible] Brown These parties assumed certain sums, late sums for their agency in securing the arrest of Brown The several communications were referred to the committee on health and police

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HOTEL ARRIVALS

AT CHARLES

W A Stubbs Stockdale — Henry Clark Brooks
W Small Salem City — Mrs T J Carter city
A C White Oregon City — Chas Stumpff S F
P Hill Salem — J F Thompson Tacoma
A Maddan Klamath — J H Bress Astoria
Wm Perrit U S A — Mrs J Nickerson Olympia
O C Gibson Lewisville — Wm J Shreve S F
A Hunley Gervais — J Cooper Independence
H McClure Soap Creek — John Hall
A Cleave Silverton — Dr J Whitehouse Kalama
F Estabrook Dayton — C F Green William slough
McHagedorn Parker Mill — I Wright & wf Or City

The only cloak house in the city is Harris Emporium of Fashion

P SELLING will dispose of his immense stock of goods at clearing sale during the next thirty days

300 dozen French four button kid gloves every pair warranted at per pair worth $2, at J J D Wrinkle & Co's, 221 First street, corner of Salmon street

W B BANCROFT representing the printing and lithographing department of A L Bancroft & Co is stopping at the Holton House, room 16 where he has a fine display of lithography and labels Merchants and others interested in such work are invited to call and look at the samples

If you think of furnishing a house with a part or entire outfit of furniture and do not wish to pay too much for the articles necessary go to Edwards & Birmingham Centennial block They have what you want and the prices are the lowest

On the Toilet Tables

Of the *beau monde* that delightful and healthful elixir SOZODONT, is always found There is nothing comparable to it for rendering the teeth spotless and preventing their decay Those who use it exhale fragrance when they open their mouths

JEWELRY OPENING

Mr J Van Bergden has recently returned from Paris, where he went as commissioner from Oregon to the exposition bringing with him a magnificent stock of the newest designs in plain and fancy jewelry and a line of watches super to any in this market Mr Van Bergden has opened a suit of show rooms in Clurch's building No 162 First street up stairs and will be happy to have the public inspect his stock and learn his prices

SPIRITUALISM

Mrs Ladd the wonderful business test medium will hold circles on Thursday and Sunday evenings at 141 First street Commence at 7 o clock Admittance 50 cents

Dr D H McLennan test and business medium Wonderful tests with names given Communications strictly private Washington street between Second and Third over Solis new restaurant

Great Clearance Sale of Ulster Coats and other Clothing, at the old established house of BECK & WALDMAN The goods must be cleared off to make room for new invoices to arrive Don't forget it

THE GRAND ARCH —Connected with Peter Wilhelm's Arch is a Lark ship Masters Reading Room where the latest shipping papers are on file Also Homeward and Outward Bound Lists Western Union Telegraph Office next door

MR FRANCIS VINTON,

Teacher of the Rudiments and Theory of the Piano begs to inform the citizens of Portland that he is prepared to give lessons in Musical Instruction either at the residence of the pupil or at the rooms of the Handel and Haydn Society First street between Yamhill and Morrison Mr Vinton has had practical experience in this branch of tuition in the east and refer by kind permission to Messrs D W Prentice & Co and to Mr W H Kinross

LESSONS ON THE VIOLIN.

PROF H C HAY successful teacher of the Violin in all its branches for the past 15 years has a few hours vacant Leave orders at the music store of D W Prentice & Co 168 First street or at residence on S 20th street bet Salmon & Main

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

I will pay the above reward for the conviction of any party or parties who may sell dried fruits purporting to be dried by the Plummer Process that are not so dried It is the duty of every merchant and citizen to see to it that our fruits are kept up to the proper standard It is well known that fruits properly cured by my process have no equal in the world and I propose to protect them against all bogus dried fruits

W S PLUMMER

WOMEN'S HOME.

Women and girls seeking employment can find at the Women's Home 109 Columbia street a pleasant boarding place at moderate rates either temporary or permanent The matron gives her personal attention to providing places for those who apply Persons desiring servants nurses or seamstresses are requested to apply

Dr P F Price, corner Third and Alder streets German Physician and Surgeon devotes special attention to *chronic diseases* whatever their nature may be, particularly those of a *difficult* and *obstinate* character Effects of *youthful indiscretion* quickly cured *Manhood restored Ladies out of health find prompt relief* Diplomas and testimonials of prominent gentlemen of this city open for inspection Cures under taken guaranteed

OUTGOING PASSENGERS

FOR STEAMER ORE ON SAILING HENCE DEC 5TH AT 6 O CLOCK

J O Potter — F Mayo
S W Spencer — W S Burges
W B Holmes — C G Griffith
F G D ment — J Mayer Wheeler
W Sandford — C B Chester
G M Ludwig — Mrs I B Geddes
Miss A M Hunter — Miss A S Ling
J S Harper — F W Goodard
G N Norton — W H Edwards
J McCulloch — J L Timm
Mrs J McCullough — Miss J J Ling
Pearle McLaughlin — Miss G A Bishop
Miss Frank Smith — Miss L C Clark
G Kadday — Miss D Martin
J Frantzner — Mrs F J
Wm Crank — J Davis
J R Hibbar — D Evans
J Crank — A Cargas
A Randau — Mrs Chance
J B H — Master Charms
A L Gross — D I Chambers
Miss J Barr — J Hennessy
J McCoak — F F B Mills
C L Keller — G H Mills
G Lafore — G H Hall
F B Lamb — L Stiles
C H Redding — M B Smith
J Turner — S Reitzel & wf
B Loomis — H C Leonard
Jno Dudley — Geo Steel and family
H B Gatman — J D Mayer
J M Church — H W Snow
Mrs H W Snow — F M Arnold
D M Herzstein — M McFarland
Miss C Royce — M D Mendenhall

And 37 in the steerage

MAGNETISM AND MEDICINE

WHICH ARE USED BY THE CELEBRATED DOCTOR DR D HALL MCLENNAN, JR

Have been troubled with varicose or enlarged veins and relaxation of the muscles for two years Consulted a number of physicians The only thing they recommended was to wear an elastic stocking but finding my case getting worse I applied to Dr McLennan who cured me in three weeks without using any medicine

The above is the recommendation of Kenneth J McQuarrie book keeper with Messrs Corbett & McKay First street opposite New Market Theatre Portland, Oregon

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THE MAIL BOY'S ADVENTURE

Youth's Companion

Never did a boy have a more lonely ride It was the year after our family moved up from Newburyport into Penobscot county Maine to begin life anew on a backwoods farm My father had taken a contract to carry the mail from I—— the town next below us up to D—— eleven miles above Between these two points the mail was carried twice a week The sum received for the service was only $110 The distance was upward of fifteen miles and 104 round trips of over thirty miles each were made during the year But my father had counted on my doing the carrying part on horseback I was then in my fourteenth year

Every Tuesday and Saturday morning I had to set off for I—— at six o'clock with the mail bag and ride over the county road to D—— This road ran through a forest and had not been long built There were but three clearings and two watering troughs in the whole distance Woods woods woods bordered the road on both sides Often I did not meet a single team or person from the time I was fairly out of I—— till I reached D—— I sometimes saw the tracks of bears in the road and sometimes my horse would stop and snort as the scent of some wild animal was borne to him Several times that season I had glimpses of bears or deer crossing the road some distance in advance of me I commonly arrived at D—— by eleven o'clock but I had to wait there till half past two for the down mail so that when autumn came I was always late home

The adventure of which I am going to speak happened to me that summer Above D—— in the woods on the river a lumbering firm had for the two years previous been getting out spruce and pine. They employed a large number of men summer and winter and did an extensive business Their mail came to D—— and doubtless checks and drafts for large sums were often sent to them in letters that were placed in my mail bag One afternoon as I was going to L—— and had left the town of D—— four or five miles behind me I overtook a woman dressed in a soiled calico gown with an old dirty white cloud on her head She limped painfully and had quite a large bundle tied up in a calico apron

I knew she was a province woman As I came up to pass her, she cast a most pitiful look into my face She looked young not more that eighteen or twenty years of age

O my good boy" says she can't yer give me a lift on ther horse?"

How far are you going" I asked

Doon ter L——" said she and from ther on to Barngour (Bangor) Infirmary

Do you expect to walk all the way'

Oh yes but I wouldn't mind that at all if I hadn't a trod on the stoob up here Me shoon are thin soled an it stook right inter the hollow of me foot an I think as it is in ther now, for it hurts me that much I can hardly bear a pound on it Oh, this is a hard wirreld!" and she concluded with a heart moving sigh

My sympathies were stirred and I felt that I ought to let her ride, for she looked very tired and had a wonderfully pleading pair of dull black eyes I had no thought, however, of riding double with her So I got off at the turn, and leading my horse to a stump beside the road, let her get on his back with her bundle Then unbuckling the rein to make a halter of it, I threw the mail bag over my shoulder and walked along leading the horse My passenger was quite talkative and very thankful She told about the trials and hardships of a servant girl's life with a fluency of expression that gave me little opportunity to speak Every few minutes she would say that I had better put the barg on the hoorse and not carry it myself

No, I told her, I would carry it she had her bundle to take care of As she talked and held her bundle my attention was drawn to the thumb of her left hand Its nail was gone It had apparently been jammed off leaving a peculiarly fresh pink red scar in fact the entire end of her thumb above the joint was red and looked disfigured and peculiar Meanwhile she talked on and among other things told me that her name was Betsey Ellen McNally, and that she was from Woodstock When she had ridden a mile or two my new acquaintance began to complain that the saddle was harred to sit Couldn't I strap the 'barg' on the saddle and let her throw her old shawl over it? and so, as she said, kill two burreds with one stone, — she would have the "easy sate" and the 'hoorse' would carry the barg'

Till that moment I had not had a suspicion that Betsey Ellen was not what she seemed to be but the thought that something was wrong caused by the tone of her voice came suddenly into my mind In a moment I felt conscious of danger and of my responsibility and that the sooner I could get rid of my new acquaintance the better

All right," said I "I'll fix it

We had just come in sight of one of the watering troughs I led the horse up to it and told Betsey Ellen to slide off and sit down on the end of the trough while I did as she had suggested Placing the bag on the saddle I first took the extra strap and made it fast then spread her old shawl on top of it.

There's a gay seat, said I, stepping upon the side of the trough to pat it down and before the woman could be aware of what I intended, I had jumped on the horse and given him a blow which caused him to bound into the middle of the road

Oh, plaze stop, an, fer the love of mercy don't be roomin' away from me" pleaded the girl, starting up and dropping her bundle

I glanced back, but gave my horse another blow and seeing I was really off, my persuasive friend suddenly changed her conduct Quick as a flash out came a pistol and whiz went a ball from it within two inches of my ear But old Jed was already on a gallop We went round a bend in the leafy road and that was the last I saw of the Province girl that day Officers were sent after the would be robber, but they didn't catch him

The second winter after this, my father put on stage (a large double sleigh) drawn by a span of horses on the mail route In place of young old Jed, I now drove the stage and carried the mail also I had plenty of light freight and express matter and was often full of passengers My route had been lengthened and extended beyond D—— to a new place which was called the "supply depot One day in February I had three passengers two choppers going up to work and a well dressed young man who sat well muffled up for it was a pretty cold day I stopped at D—— for the passengers to warm themselves and to have dinner, and this young man was so long eating his that I had to go into the dining room to hurry him He sat at the table with his back to me eating as I went in, and I saw his thumb as he held his fork The nail was gone and the scar was of a dull red color I knew that thumb in an instant and was sure that this was Betsey Ellen It made me nervous, but I said bravely All aboard!" and walked out.

I didn't know what to do, Betsey Ellen" was the only passenger from D—— up to the lumber depot, too He had considerable to say He probably knew me well enough that is he knew I was the boy he had fooled and tried to rob of the mail bag His name he told me (this time), was Gleason He was a professional scaler" on his way up to scale or survey the winter's cut of lumber at the landings' on the river He had his calipers and other instruments with him I felt uncomfortable enough but kept quiet I am sure I never suffered so much from fear in all my life as I did in going up from D—— that afternoon The whole of the way I had to sit still my back to Betsey Ellen and of course I expected every moment he would give me a blow on the head and rob the stage He did not however but instead he was a very quiet passenger That night at the depot I found out that his name was actually Gleason and that he was really their regular lumber scaler and was hired as such But I knew it was Betsey Ellen all the same His voice and the peculiar glance of his dull dark eyes were only too well fixed in my memory ever to be forgotten

Next day at I—— I first told the postmaster there and then got out a warrant for the arrest of Gleason The sheriff went up on the stage with me Gleason was scaling two miles above the depot at one of the lumber camps The sheriff took two men and went up to the camp that evening I went with them to point him out Gleason was smoking his cigar by the big camp stove when we went in Well Betsey Ellen said I you rather played it on me two years ago but now it's my turn and the sheriff collared him But he took it very coolly He sat quite still for a moment and then he began to laugh and laughed silently but it seemed as if he would never stop

The sheriff took him down to D—— that night and the next morning he had his examination To my surprise he laughingly admitted the whole charge against him With apparent frankness he explained the reason of his being discussed as a pal that day He had been stopping up at —— a town ten miles beyond D—— and was owing bills there Being out of money he had disguised himself and run away He set out for two weeks and proved what he said about his indebtedness His talking and riding with me that day was done purely for sport he said and when I ran away from him he fired off the pistol just to frighten me a little more The rascal told all this in such a humorous way that it caused a good deal of laughter The lumbermen were all his friends The case was dismissed and Gleason actually discharged —after I had fairly caught him! He even had the impudence to come and chat familiarly with me, and tell me he was sorry he had scared me! In fact his version of the circumstances made me out anything but a hero and I was heartily laughed at by the loafers and men I met I could not stir for a month without hearing something about Betsey Ellen'

They sang a different tune however, about the 20th of March The lumber firm who were doing business at the depot and in that region were to pay off their choppers on the 25th and money had been sent them for that purpose It was in a chest in the large back room of the depot where Briggs their foreman always slept During the night of the 24th the chest was robbed of every dollar it contained and the foreman murdered The poor man was found next morning dead from blows upon his head Gleason had been there the night before but was now missing The amount stolen was between six and seven thousand dollars In the light of this tragedy the people began to think that my Betsey Ellen was no chicken after all Then one mentioned the hue and cry after the murderer but they did no catch him nor could they so much as get a trace of him He had made good his escape

Time passed on I drove the stage for three years longer then at the age of twenty one I went on to the new railroad—the N A & E line—where in time I became a conductor Going from St John to Bangor, my train passed the station called Mattawamkeag at about four o'clock A M Running down from Kingman, I took up tickets for Mattawamkeag The passengers were often asleep One morning I had to waken a man who was curled upon two seats sleeping soundly

"Tickets tickets!" I called to him

He roused up, swore a little and began to fumble in his pockets At last he found his ticket and held it up to me between his thumb and finger I had the lantern turned full upon it and there held against the ticket was that never to be forgotten red thumb with no nail upon it

One moment said I, and held the lantern to his face It was Gleason

Ohio" exclaimed Betsey Ellen we meet again

He jumped up with an oath But I was now no longer a boy Determined that Betsey should not escape me again I seized him by the collar thrust him down in the seat and called in two brakemen

Three hours later we gave him into custody at Bangor He was tried for the murder of Foreman Briggs and sentenced to be hanged The sentence was commuted however, to imprisonment for life, and I have since heard that he died in prison

RUSSIA TRIUMPHANT

THE FINAL DESTRUCTION OF THE TREATY OF BERLIN

[From the London World]

Sir William Harcourt in a letter which he has addressed to the Times on the execution of the treaty of Berlin concludes by remarking that instead of peace with honor we shall probably before long find ourselves face to face with the dreadful alternative of war or dishonor" As we pointed out this fact to our readers last week in almost identically the same language we are glad to find our appreciation of the situation adopted by so high an authority The sooner the delusion is dispelled that the treaty of Berlin retains any European value whatever or that any of the signatory powers unless it be England will raise a finger to prevent Russia from taking Constantinople the better When the Russian plenipotentiaries at Berlin proposed a clause which should bind the powers to see that the treaty was carried out Lord Salisbury suspecting a trap in anything that emanated from Count Schouvaloff, rejected a stipulation which would in fact, have offered a protection to England and seriously embarrassed Russia The result is, that morally the European powers are not bound to see that the treaty is carried out but are rather expressly relieved from that obligation by the rejection of the clause proposing it It is imagined by those who refuse to recognize the imminence of the peril that the dignity or the interests of the other powers would compel them to interfere if Russia threatened to take Constantinople

AUSTRIA DARE NOT MOVE

This hope is absolutely without foundation Austria is powerless to act in concert with England against Russia for many reasons the principal one being, that it is already secretly arranged that she is not to do so, but to receive an extension of territory reaching to the Aegean at the price of her neutrality If she is false to her part of the engagements and goes to war with Russia she may expect to lose her German provinces to Germany and her Italian territory to Italy besides having serious Slav troubles within her own borders Germany has no immediate interest to interfere in the eastern question and will no more go to war now to prevent Russia entering Constantinople than she did when the Muscovite armies were at the gates of Adrianople last year She will take her compensation elsewhere Italy will certainly not go to war as an ally of Turkey considering that she looks to receiving a slice of Albania when the distribution of territory takes place. France has repeatedly declared her intention of maintaining under all circumstances a benevolent neutrality and we already see indications in both the French and German press of a desire to see off Turkish against Russian infractions of the treaty and so escape all responsibility in regard to that unhappy document

NOT BOUND BY ANYTHING

Russia, practically relieved from the engagements she had entered into at Berlin is therefore establishing herself in Roumelia increasing her armies and organizing a government entirely irrespective of European commissions or any other diplomatic trammels She is moreover exciting the whole of the non Mussulman population of Turkey not included in the autonomous province to revolt She is laboring to reconcile the Greek and Slav elements and bring about a tripartite arrangement between Montenegro Servia and Greece and these three states co operating with the Macedonian insurgents will produce a conflagration extending from the Danube to the Aegean There can be no doubt that such a war in which Slav and Greek unite against Mohammedan will be unparalleled for fanaticism and horrors The Albanians keep the Khalif insurgents and the Turkish regular army would unite to suppress an insurrection openly aided by three independently armed Christian states and Russia prompted by her humanitarian feelings and unable to endure the spectacle of Christian sufferers, will probably furnish aid in the shape of arms and volunteers and then openly espouse their cause

IT WAS ONE OR DELAY

The position of an army of 100 000 men on the south of the Balkans will give them a commanding position from which to throw oil on the flames which is consuming the empire until the moment seems opportune to pounce upon the capital That this is no imaginary danger may be gathered from the energy with which Baker Pasha is pressing forward the fortifications at Constantinople and there can be little doubt that the present feeble ministry in cabinet to temporize with the Afghan difficulty with the hope of postponing operations till spring has been prompted by the altered condition which have arisen within the last month The government now seems intent with the treaty of Berlin torn up with every element which it was supposed to have controlled let loose in Europe with Russia in a far more commanding and powerful position in Turkey than she was in when she concluded the treaty of San Stefano for she has a new army created and her position and lines of communication secured—England is in no position to go to war in India The interests at stake on the Bosphorus are infinitely more important than those on the northern frontier of India and the dishonor of seeing Russia in Constantinople would be a far greater blow to our dignity than that of postponing the war against the ameer until it suits us to undertake it

Fluctuations of Silver.

[From the New York World]

A correspondent seeks to know why in 1853 for the first time in our national history it became "necessary" to make minor silver coins of underweight in order to prevent them from leaving the country or going to the melting pot The answer is simple In 1792 the silver dollar was made by Hamilton to represent Jefferson's ideal unit 371¼ grains each to be of the value of the Spanish milled dollar as the same is now current says the ninth section of the first coinage law The proportional value of gold to silver in all American coins shall be fifteen pounds of pure silver to one pound of pure gold" adds the seventh section But the real ratio in London in 1793 was 14 44 to 1 In 1837 the ratio was by law changed to 16 to 1 but the actual market ratio in London was 15 83 to 1 and in 1853 the market ratio in London was 15 35 to 1 In 1853 silver in London was 59 6 16 pence or $1 1731 an ounce but in 1853 the London price had risen to 61¼ pence or $1 21 3 In 1837 the value in London in gold of our silver dollar of 412½ grains was $1 0093 but in 1853 it was $1 0426 and to day it is 89 cents In 1856 the London value of our silver dollar was near $1 06 As a necessary consequence we had few or no silver coins in circulation from 1837 to 1853, especially of small denominations, and the efore in 1853 the weight of the minor silver coins was reduced to an extent sufficient to prevent their purchase for the bullion From 1837 to 1874 silver had a market value as bullion above our mint coining rate, and to equalize the difference in 1853 Senator Hunter reduced the weight of the half dollar from 206 grains to 192 or or about 7 per cent on the belief that silver was rising But now when silver bullion has fallen from 60 in 1853 to 50¾ pence to day the reason for underweighting has gone and to make a half dollar to day worth only about 40 cents is to make that silver which is as mischievous as it is immoral Today our minor silver coins cannot be persuaded to stay in Mexico or South America or Canada They are such fond friends that they find no place like home and no friend like Secretary Sherman

The Treasury and Resumption.

[From the New York Times]

The treasury is sure to be in a very strong position on the 1st of January On that point there is no room for doubt It will have at least $150 000 000 of coin at its command and it is stated that $100 000 000 of greenbacks will at that date be in the vaults of the treasury or in the custody of government agents This will leave only some $100 000 000 or two sevenths of the greenbacks outstanding uncovered by coin Even after making all necessary deductions for the amount of the treasury coin which is in depreciated metal there is so far as any one can now imagine no reasonable probability that any legal tenders will be presented which cannot be promptly and fully redeemed in gold

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FOR THE FARM.

Principles of Making Good Butter

Prof. J. A. Foster, of Maine, on the management of a private butter dairy, writes as follows: "There is no royal road to success in the matter of butter-making. While first class butter sells at 40 cents per pound, and a fancy article at 45 cents, the great mass manufactured does not average at only about twenty cents per pound. The choice article of butter is made from cream that must be exercised from the time the milk is drawn till it is ready in the hands of the consumer. There are many points which require much light is needed and these can be eliminated only by careful experiments conducted with nice and accurate instruments. Nothing should be done with guesswork. Weighing and measurement and scientific thought. Good butter is not produced by chance. It is the result of skill and common sense. The quantity of milk given is by no means, made the test of the value of the cow, rather than the quality of the milk. There is no breed but produces good cows and but produces some poor ones. He speaks of the necessity of cleanliness in everything pertaining to the stable, the milk and the care and keeping of the milk. The churning, the packing and the storing of butter all require good common sense and cleanliness.

Wheat Seeding

Mr. Belshaw writes as follows to the Rural Home:

"There are many writers expressing their views on the different papers of Oregon on the subject of wheat seeding which I believe is a good one, and one among the most important to the farmers of our country and state. Any one that is posted on the export business must be aware that the cost of shipping of wheat and flour to market amounts to bringing a larger revenue to the farmer than any other production. It is necessary that we should by experience and observation learn the best modes of cultivating the soil and the seeding of the most important cereal production. The ideas and suggestions in the above papers on this subject are scattering and not meet with my views and experience. I am always pleased to read articles from any person on the subject of agriculture. Those that have lately written before me on seeding as the best, some even say that one peck or even half a peck is sufficient to seed an acre, others that three pecks is a abundant supply. My experience says a bushel and a half is not too much of any and some varieties, two bushels better, but the quantity per acre must always be governed in every instance by the quality of the soil, and the different kinds of grain, for instance if the variety is large in the kernel and the intention is to proceed it broadcast a less number of acres till your hand, the same as a drill, the same is noticeable with the drill so the difference with some varieties would be a peck or more to the acre. There is another very important feature to learn in this matter, that some varieties stool out as much as others. The most important feature to learn is how to produce the best quality and the largest product per acre on the two go together, but it is necessary that the soil should be in a right state of cultivation, and the proper kind of seed used. The best quality consists, viz. Thin in bran, clear white and clear, and the kernels evenly filled. These three qualities make the best of flour, but neither thick nor thin bran will produce the qualities above mentioned. The quantity of seed to produce the best result, including all varieties of grain and qualities and conditions of soil, I would say from one and a half bushels to two and a half. There is also a natural length that the seed should be in all varieties of wheat, and this can be learned by the producer before commencing about the results above mentioned. Many believe that drilling it in rows twenty inches to two feet apart, and cultivate the same as corn is the best. I have experimented upon this and will say that while this is not a good one and there never will be a fine quality of wheat produced from it, it is of course and it will never be good for any purposes and the growth is too rank, the stalk and dark, grain shrunken and will not make as much flour per bushel it does too much in the fore part of the season and forms a large, coarse straw, and in the warm, dry weather of July comes on does not seem to be sufficient moisture to support from the soil to fully develop the large heads. I notice many writers say wheat to have large stools. This is a fault. My opinion is that to produce a large crop there should only be from two to three heads produced from one grain. This will always be governed by the amount of seed drilled or broadcast per acre. Drilling less, and at some future time I will give my reasons why. If I had to give in my opinion where one crop had been sowed too much and the other too thin, I would favor the latter one although neither is right, but I know that one would be ripe one week or two before the other, which would be quite an advantage, especially in a year when wheat is liable to rust. I would like to hear from others that are more able and have had perhaps more experience for I believe we have a as good or better soil in this county for the production of wheat as there is in any country this having been proven frequently by our state fair, and by our having received chemical and diploma at the centennial from all nations.

The Thoroughbred Horse and His Friends.

[From the Sacramento Record Union.]

An association has lately been formed in San Francisco called the Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association. The association is composed of a number of wealthy gentlemen, who are engaged to a greater or less extent in breeding and training for speed thoroughbred horses. The objects of the association are to improve the horse by careful breeding and training and by associated effort and influence to prevent the prostration of his valuable qualities of speed and endurance to the base arts and practices of gambler and jockey. These gentlemen start with all the better classes of society, and the horse is one of the most valuable qualities of the horse and that this quality should be cultivated and encouraged for its value to them in the everyday business of life, and not that gamblers and jockeys have found a way to make money out of it by cheating the public. The gentlemen in this association are the owners of a large number of the most thoroughbred breeding mares and stock in this state, and by thus associating together they can control the management of their own animals and exert an influence in the management of those not owned by members of the association. They can no doubt will, in time discountenance the thoroughbred horse from the disreputable tricks and practices of the gamsters which have him to the position in the estimation of the better classes of mankind to which his good qualities entitle him. They can and will place him where he can make an honest living by becoming the servant of honest people. He can be made more valuable as a gentleman and his family as a carriage horse, and riding horse, and as a roadster, than as a means of making money as he now makes money by keeping gaming tables and dealing marked cards to win from the unwary their hard earnings. The base use to which the speed of some of our best horses have been put has had the effect to almost disgust the larger portion of the people with all that pertained of this valuable quality, and something must be done to check this tendency of public opinion, and put a stop to the association of our best horses with our best men and their arts, the money value of the thoroughbred horses of the country will suffer a serious deterioration. We would not say the thoroughbred horse from the race track entirely, for we believe that the speed of an animal, or of a class of animals can only be developed by bringing their powers of speed into frequent use but we would surround the track upon which the horse is trained and speeded with honorable influences and practices. No owner or trainer or driver of a race horse should stoop to take dishonorable advantage of another in the management of a horse race any more than he would in the conduct of any other business or dealing between men.

We would not in the least discourage the competition and trials of speed between the owners of horses and their horses because competition particularly in this direction is not only the life of business but it is a necessity to the success of the business itself. Speed is as much a hereditary quality of the horse as is beauty or size or intelligence or docility or any other quality. To insure fast horses we must train them and speed them just as to insure good beef making cattle we must feed them well and study to develop the points and characteristics of the best beef makers. We hope the association named will take high and firm ground in the direction they have set out and not only raise the thoroughbred horse from the mire into which bad men have sunk him but also raise the turf and its amusements from the slough of dishonor into which it has in the same hands fallen.

It is a common and true saying that a man is known by the company he keeps. It is no less true that a horse or a race of horses is estimated by the character of the men who control and manage them. Let the thoroughbred horse be controlled and managed by honorable and high minded men and honorable and high minded men will stick to make him their servant and friend and will set high price upon him as such.

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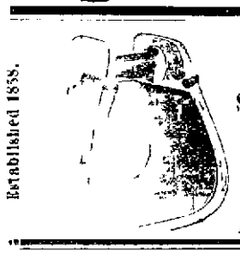

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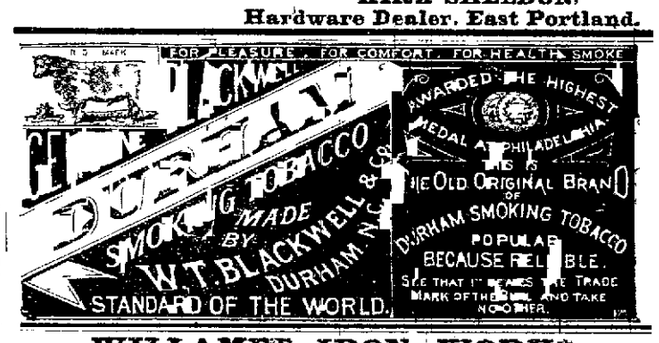
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Alpha—55 shs 9¾ 9⅝ 9¾
Belcher—280 shs $4¼ 4½
Confidence—145 shs 8½ 7
S Nev—905 shs $4¾ 46 47
Utah—180 shs $17½ 17¾
Bullion—1580 shs 5¾ 6¼ 5¼ 5
Seg Belcher—5 shs 65c
Overman—75 shs $12½, 13⅛
Justice—65 shs $4⅝
Exchequer—400 shs $4, 3 90
H & N—20 shs $12¾
Succor—480 shs 90c 90
Alta—280 shs $6¾ 6¼
Union—680 shs 50, 49⅝ 50½
Lady Bryan—$1 90, 2
Julia—1725 shs 8¾ 9¢ 8 16
Caledonia—835 shs 8½ 2 60
Baltimore—905 shs 11¾
S Hill—105 shs 13¼ 1 35 1 60
New York—270 shs 6oc, 60
Sensator—100 shs 2oc
Sheridan—1950 shs 65c 60
Woodville—50 shs 25c
Lady Washington—150 shs 11¼, 11½
Kossuth—100 shs 15c
Andes—250 shs 65c, 60.
W Fargo—675 shs 40c, 30
Ward—1025 shs 70c 75
Scorpion—240 shs 21¼
Leviathan—350 shs 50c
N Con Va—250 shs 7¾ 7
Trojan—60 shs 30c
Benton—35 shs 88¾
S Silver—1500 shs 6oc 00
N S Nev—1000 shs 15c
Flowery—1570 shs 75c, 90 80, 8o
N Bonanza—2045 shs 2¼ 2 10, 2
Benton—210 shs $3.

AFTERNOON SALES

R & E—40 shs 90¾ 91¼
Eu Con—135 shs 25c
Jackson—20o shs $6 65
Belmont—210 shs 50c 45
Leopard—440 shs 11¼
Belle—40 shs 10c.
Manhattan—65 shs 84
Defrees—350 shs 20c.
Prize—1416 shs 8¾ 9, 8¾ 8½ 8
Argenta—890 shs 83½
Hussey—15o shs 40c
Navajo—850 shs 40c 45
Endowment—560 shs 30c
Independence—1000 shs $1 30, 1 40
Bay—300 shs 30c 35
Hillside—250 shs $3½ 3 60.
Highbridge—100 shs 13
Gila—100 shs 10c.
Paradise—1900 shs 2¼, 2 30 2 10
Modoc—220 shs 15c.
New Coso—600 shs 40c
Bodie—125 shs 16¼
Bechtel—1250 shs 30c 35,
McClinton—640 shs 50c, 40
Manhatan—60 shs 84
Red Cloud—50 shs 2¼
Summit—675 shs $1¾, 1 80,
Bulwer—20 shs $16¾,
Aurora—200 shs 50c,
Goodshaw—1100 shs 40o, 45, 35, 3
Oriental—50 shs 40c.
Belvidere—60 shs 40c.
Champion—90 shs 15c.
Blackhawk—150 shs $1, 75c.
S Bullion—300 shs.
Booker—190 shs 90c. $1.
S Standard—200 shs 10c.
Mono—630 shs 85.
Con Pacific—30 shs 92¾.
University—50 shs $1.
Dudley—925 shs 81, 90c.
White—440 shs 99¼ 9
Leeds—40 shs 21¼.
Tiptop—720 shs $1¼
Caledonia (Black Hills)—100 shs
N Coso—100 shs 40o,
Tiga—100 shs $2.
Bolwer—300 shs $16¼

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC 5 1878

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Being interviewed in New York General Beauregard said I am engaged at present in writing a circumstantial narrative of the military operations in which I took part from the firing of the first gun at Fort Sumter in April 1861 to the close of the war at Greensboro N C in May 1865

Cincinnati *Commercial* It is not yet ascertained where Nephew Pelton obtained the $80 000 of stuff which he took to Baltimore on the occasion of his meeting with Smith M. Weed to arrange the purchase of the electoral vote of South Carolina Perhaps like others in want of means he applied to his uncle

Murphy s temperance work at New York is not running in old grooves exactly William F Dodge and the conservative temperance men do not recognize him and even President Mundy and his American temperance union growl at his love of filthy lucre Murphy wants $200 a night because that is Coughlin s price

San Francisco *Chronicle* Already has the torpedo coffin been invented You have only to order yourself buried in one of these ingenious contrivances to bid defiance to body thieves The slightest disarrangement of the lid blows the burglar heavenward and you in the opposite direction No corpse should be without a torpedo

Cleveland *Herald* The poor Greenbackers are in an awkward predicament On one hand stands the Cincinnati *Enquirer* with outstretched arms and an affectionate purpose to hug them to death and on the other is the Louisville *Courier Journal*, with blood in its eye remarking The sooner we get rid of the Greenback idiots the b tter

The Cleveland *Herald* says that Blaine and Conkling are both laying wires all ready to get state delegations to the next nominating conventions Another Ohio paper su gests that in case Blaine and Conkling destroy each other there are plenty of Ohio men who stand ready to take the presidency with all that the office implies. The cheek of the Ohio politician is indeed sublime

Col Ingersoll has been figuring a little He says if only seventy Israelites went down into Egypt, and in 215 years increased to 600,000 men of war, the population must have been at least 8 000,000 The census gave them 22,273 first-born males, so there must have been only 22 273 mothers, which would make 1,500 children to each mother. He considers Moses as indifferent a cipherer as Sam Tilden.

Among other expensive luxuries enjoyed by the taxpayers of New York City is a $5,000,000 police force The payment of this sum annually ought to secure what New York has long claimed,—"the finest police force in the world." But the grave robberies, bank burglaries, murderous assaults, and other crimes of violence which have occurred recently and have gone unpunished, have brough this phrase into contempt

Salt Lake *Tribune* It is related of Horace Greeley that once, in a moment of great excitement, he observed "If ever Mormonism works as far east as this, I'll be d— if I don t have one wife to take care of my shirts He had burst off his collar button just as he was about going on to the platform to deliver a lecture Mormonism has worked its way into the halls of congress but hasn t any use for a Mormon wife to take care of shirt buttons.

PARAGRAPHIC DETAIL

Field Marshal Von Moltke has just entered upon his 79th year He has quite recovered from his recent attack of erysipelas

The Athenian Timon is outdone by a man in Michigan, who has lived under the roots of a fallen tree because his wife scolded him

Mr Gladstone is almost as busy a man as Ruskin. In the midst of his literary labors he has just been visiting Cambridge University

Talmage says he'd thank the Lord if he weighed 250 pounds Moody weighs 240, and thanks the Lord for that Talmage would weigh more if he didn't work so hard in the pulpit

In the county of Allegan, Mich., where Tilden got 1 169 votes in 1876 the Democratic vote at the last election was only 363 The Greenback whale had swallowed the Democratic Jonah

"It has passed into a parable, says the New York *Sun*, that for the last dozen years the Republican party has lived only through the imbecility and blundering of the Democracy " 'Tis true, 'tis pity, and pity 'tis 'tis true"

Mrs Frances Freeling Broderip daughter of Thomas Hood, died at Clevedon, England on the 3d November. She was author of many volumes of tales and sketches and had much of her father s genial humor and pathos

Burlington *Hawkeye* There is a poem in the November *Atlantic* that starts off by saying "There came three queens from heaven " Never do you believe it, we'll bet you a thousand dollars one of them was dealt to him, and he pulled the other two out of his boot.

Boston *Post* It appears to have been a fact, as Dean Stanley stated, that his trip to America cost him only two dollars. That sum he paid a hotel porter to lock him in his room and tell all inquiring friends that he had gone up into a high mountain and wouldn t be back for four days.

A young lady hes tating for a word in describing the character of a rejected suitor said He is not a tyrant, not exactly domineering, but——" "Dogmatic suggested her friend "No, he has not dignity enough for that, I think pupmatic would convey my meaning admirably."

The London *Times* is now printed by the aid of the electric light, and there is talk of introducing it into the great composing rooms of the New York daily papers. While the Sawyer and Wallace electric lamps are used to some extent, many would rather wait for Edison, but he expects to be engaged in experimenting for at least a year yet

Boston policemen are compelled to wear leather collars the intention being to make them hold up their heads in a soldierly manner, but the leather rubs their chins, and the constraint grows exceedingly irksome after a few hours. The policemen complain loudly, but the commissioners say that something is necessary as a check to the tendency to slovenliness.

Wistful Materfamilias (reading evening paper)—"Here's another of those Allington girls married!—and to that young Carew, of the Grange, of all people! How well those girls go off to be sure! Paterfamilias—Ah awfully good-looking girls, those Allingtons." Materfamilias (severely)— It's not the good looks It's because they're so well brought up. Chorus of Daughters— Oh do bring us up well mamma dear"

LITERARY NOTES.

Capt Mayne Reid's books have experienced a revival in the trade James Miller, who now publishes them, has found difficulty at times in meeting the demand

Mr Bancroft the historian, is said to have recently presented the lady who reads the proof of his work with $50, for discovering an error in one of his Latin quotations

It is said that the "Work About the Boers" to which Carlyle contributed a preface is a note testifying his esteem and affection for the author was written by the Hon Maud Stanley

Prof Boyesen has long been engaged upon a study of Goethe a d Schiller, which will be both biographical and critical in character One feature of it is an extended commentary on Faust Charles Scribner s Sons will publish the book.

Philip Gilbert Hamerton s Modern French men includes the biographies of five eminent men—Victor Jacquemont traveler and naturalist Ernest Levegve, ecclesiastic and orator Francis Rude sculptor Jean Jacques Ampere historian archeologist traveler Henri Regnault painter and patriot

Of Miss Stebbins life of Charlotte Cushman the London *Spectator* says 'The book is pleasantly and modestly written and making due allowance for strong friendship and a certain amount of hero worship bears the marks of truth and fidelity and of sympathy on the part of the author with the character of her subject

A correspondent of *Notes and Queries* gives the following derivation of the word caucus 'Caulkers meetings, from which the present word caucus originated were held at night in Boston to talk over the ways and means of driving out the English troops in the decade made famous for America by the Declaration of Inde The word is therefore at least three generations old

Chatterton, "That Marvellous Boy"

Chatter on recorded in a book which he took with him from Bristol to London his literary gains and it stands on record that for nine months labor in London he received from the booksellers for whom he wrote $24 For the Consulad,' a poem of over 270 lines he got $2 60, and Mr Hamilton owner of a magazine, gave him for two contributions 50 cents, and for sixteen songs which he published $2! It is easy to understand how this treatment led up to his writing 'Suicide is sometimes a noble insanity of the soul and often the result of a mature and deliberate approbation of the soul If ever a crime, it is only one to society It may seem a paradoxical assertion that we cannot do wrong to ourselves but it is certain that we have power over our own existence" And so he died at eighteen from opium, taken to allay the pangs of hunger

The Pennsylvania Senatorship

[From the Washington Post, Dem.]

The administration candidate for Senator from Pennsylvania is said to be Galusha A Grow, who, in conjunction with Wayne McVeagh and Schurz has enjoyed substantial control of the Federal patronage in that State and who is more influential at the White House than all the other Pennsylvania radical politicians put together

Senator Christiancy s health is so poor that he is unable to perform any mental labor and cannot even answer his correspondents

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4

Ophir—580 shs $39, 38 38¼ 37½ 37¾
Mex—1300 shs $27, 27½ 27¾ 27½, 28, 27
G & C—765 shs $8 8¼ 8⅜
B & B—260 shs $17¾ 18
Cala—1375 shs 9¾ 9¾, 10 9⅝
Savage—370 shs $10⅜ 10¼ 10½
Con Va—130 shs 7⅞ 7⅝
Ch llar—85 shs $30,
H & N—200 shs $11 10¾ 10¾
Savage—50 shs $10½
Point—600 shs 4¾ 4 60 4½ 4¾
Jacket—355 shs $13, 12¾ 12¼ 12½
Impl—1060 shs 70c 64
Kentuck—180 shs $4¾ 4½
Alpha—50 shs $9 9¾ 9½
Belcher—490 shs $4 40 4½
Confidence—65 shs 8¾ 8
S Nev—890 shs 45 44 46, 46
Utah—50 shs $17 16¾ 16
Bullion—1420 shs 5¾ 6¼ 5¼ 4
Exchequer—600 shs $4 3 85 3 80
Overman—430 shs $12½ 12¾ 1
Justice—190 shs 4¼ 4 40 4½
Seg Belcher—3o0 shs $20
Succor—370 shs 90
Union—590 shs $47 46½ 46¾
Alta—490 shs 6¾ 6 6¾
Lady Bryan—725 shs $1 90 2 1¾ 1 8
Julia—915 shs $3
Caledonia—830 shs $2½
S Hill—275 shs $13½ 1 60
Challenge—260 shs $1 20
New York—715 shs 55c 60 50
Senator—350 shs 20c.
Sheridan—1100 shs 60c 00
Woodville—250 shs 25c.
Lady Washing'n—20 shs $11¼
Andes—12. shs 60c, 60
W Fargo—1700 shs 40. 2o 39
Ward—570 shs 70c 75
Scorpion—120 shs $1 1 10 1
Leviathan—300 shs 40c.
S Silver—500 shs 60o
Santiago—270 shs $1 10
Trojan—60 shs 30c
N S Nev—100 shs 15c
Flowery—1120 shs 75c 80 80
N Bonanza—1150 shs $2 10, 2, 2 9o
M Diar—200 shs $2

AFTERNOON SALES.

R & E—60 shs 89¾ 10 91¼
Eureka Con—100 shs $36½ 36¼, 35
Jackson—60 shs 86
Belmont—100 shs 40c.
Leopard—245 shs $1 15 1¼
Belle—300 shs 10c.
Alps—100 shs 30c
Manhatan—430 shs 84¼, 4 83, 4¼
Defrees—470 shs 10c, 15
Prize—465 shs 88¾ 8¾ 8⅞
Argenta—1200 shs $3 10
Navajo—600 shs 40
Endowment—100 shs 2oc
Independence—125 shs 1 30 1¼
Hussey—100 shs 80c
Hamburg—90 shs $11
Hillside—200 shs $1 60 1½
High Bridge—990 shs $2 10 2 15, 2 20
Paradise—2 shs 2. 20 2 10 2 30
Modoc—360 shs 20c
New Coso—400 shs 40c 40
Bodie—145 shs 16c
Bechtel—600 shs 30c 4 30
McClinton—1050 shs 50c
Tioga—870 shs $1½ 1¾ 1 45
Day—340 shs 30c
Red Cloud—150 shs $2 10
Summit—800 shs 1¾ 1, 1 40
Bulwer—70 shs $16¾
Aurora—490 shs 50o
Goodshaw—130 shs 2oc
Champion—600 shs 2o.
Belvidere—110 shs 5k.
Booker—350 shs $1
S Standard—500 shs 15c 5
Mono—40 shs 85
Con Pac—200 shs $.3¾ 2 6
University—190 shs $1
Dudley—1.0 shs $1
White—30 shs 98¾
Leeds—200 shs $1 30
Addenda—500 shs 50c
Mtp Top—155 shs $1 30 1 40
Golden Terra—300 shs 8
Caledonia (Black Hills)—800 shs 6o.

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Hard-Money Democratic Senators Scarce.

[Washington Correspondence Baltimore Sun.]

Of all the Democratic Senators, Bayard of Delaware Whyte of Maryland, and Eaton of Connecticut are the only ones who have given forth no uncertain sounds on the question of honest money Even Senator Kernan, of New York, has dallied with the subject, as if afraid to commit himself

Judge Key contradicts the story that he had said that Bonanza Mackay would give $1,000 000 for the Grant campaign. Speaking of the subject, Judge Key said "I did not even see Mackay while on the Pacific coast, for at that time he was in Paris. It is all pure invention of course But what good can it do to make up such stories as that?

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING December 4, 1878

Gold in New York 100¾

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 99¼ selling at par

Silver coin—98¾ per cent discount

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4—Currency—93¾ buying par selling

Silver—98 buying 99¾ selling

Trade Dollars—96½ buying 97 selling

NEW YORK Dec 4—11 A M Gold 100¾
silver bullion 1000 fine 10¼ per fine oz
U S bonds 5 90s of 1867 [illegible] of 188
10[illegible]s closed at 106¼ 4½ closed at 104

LONDON Dec 4—Consols 94⅞ money 2[illegible]
account silver 56½ U S bonds 56¾ 4½ 63¾

The local money market is quiet and without any special change. The supply of funds available in the way of loans is not excessive but still ample to meet all prevailing demands Rates are unchanged with the disposition on the part of lenders to accept only first class securities On real estate loans are made occasionally at 10 per cent per annum but less than 12 is the highest legal rate But the usual term are 1 year 6 months At this figure those who are able to proffer first class collaterals find but little difficulty in obtaining all needed accommodation

On and after January 1 1879 the New York banks will cease to receive gold on special deposit and will treat it in all respects the same as legal tenders They are to receive silver only on special deposits and to treat it in all respects as they now do gold The treasury is to settle its drafts with the clearing house in gold at the sub treasury as a rule But there are other points But we have not the space in this issue to allude to them The whole object of these measures is to give currency to gold coin throughout the country The banks generally have made arrangements preparation for full resumption at the time specified The Chicago *Inter* aptly says that the New York bankers need not expect to manipulate the policy outlined in their document without being severely assailed They will be called 'gold bugs Shylocks Wall street sharks and all the other hard names that the cheap money philosophers have invented or can invent. Mighty lawgivers in Washington will introduce bills providing that all banks refusing to receive the dollar of the fathers on deposit as money shall forfeit their charters and making it a prison offense for any bank to sunder business relations with any man who forces it to take silver in payment of a debt The path of the banks will be a thorny one if they attempt to co operate with the treasury department in maintaining specie payments on the gold basis in the manner suggested Still it is both their right and their duty to pursue the policy outlined in the document prepared by the leading members of the New York clearing house and do all in their power to maintain the highest commercial standard of honor and the soundest monetary system

In domestic products the local market shows increased activity and a somewhat larger volume of transactions and repeats The vessels at hand to load wheat have in some instances nearly completed their lay days and rather than pay a heavy demurrage charterers prefer to advance their offers for cargoes Hence we note the fact that as high as $1 70 has been paid for round lots though that figure is regarded as above Liverpool or San Francisco quotations and as more than would be obtainable for ordinary parcels under circumstances of less pressure.

Flour has advanced 25 cents per bbl on leading brands and it is expected that lower grades will follow the rise Oats are in fair supply at former quotations of 40@45 cents per bushel with a moderate city active demand for the home trade and for shipment

English Wheat Markets.

LONDON Dec 3.—Wheat—Fair to choice shipping club per cental, 9s 10d@10s 0d California 8s 7d@8 9d

Flour—State, per bbl 24s American extra 24s

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 3

Wheat—Prices steady sellers unwilling to part with their wheat which accounts for the small business now doing New York steady

Barley—Strong with large sales of brewing at $1 17½@1 30 latter for gilt edged lots

Corn—Very small demand prices favor buyers

Flour—Quiet but firm

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

Wheat—Sales California fair to good milling at $1 76 no sales round lots of shipping to day holders not inclined to sell market firm

Flour—Unchanged

Barley—Feed sales at 85c@$1 05

Oats—Feed good to choice and choice to extra choice unchanged We quote same as before

Rice—China mixed weak 5¾@5 10

Potatoes—California new firm, decline probably checked demand better and stocks reduced sweets $2

Onions—Easier at $. Utah inferior, $

Butter—Firm

Eggs—Unchanged and weak

Hops—Unimproved

Provisions—Weak and lending low r, country and grocery d mand light buyers holding off hoping to obtain concessions

Pears and Apples—Receipts ox Republic unsold some lots were wretchedly packed and greatly injured in transit

ATLANTIC MARKETS

NEW YORK Dec 3

Wheat—Quiet and weak $1 0 @1 12 per bu

Hides—Steady fair demand at 15¢@16

CHICAGO Dec

Wheat—81 c bu December delivery

Shipping Intelligence

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

AN FRANCISCO Dec 3—Arrived Stmr City of Sydney sailed Stmr City of Rio Honolulu Charl Stmr City of Rio Honolulu Sailed Jessie Tort Townsend Bktne H W Almy Honolulu

Sailed Mandalay Empire Nanaimo Tuesday Stmr Alaska Victoria Shr Lucinda Portland

Sailed Brit bark Isabella Hong Kong Brit bark Crest tal Isle The vessels first at the cargo may be next

SEATTLE Dec —Sailed Ship Tacoma Liverpool

PORT BLAKELY Dec —Sailed Ship Oneida Australia

PORT GAMBLE Dec 4—Arrived Sch Adams from Honolulu Sailed Schr Pioneer for Astoria

PORT TOWNSEND Dec —Arrived—Ship Yosemite San Francisco Bk Oneida San Francisco

Sailed Nov 30—Sailed—Bark Dunsmuir San Francisco

From Messrs Trenchard & Upshur of Astoria we are in receipt of the following dispatch under date of December 4th steamer Idaho arrived from San Francisco at Astoria 7 P M left for Portland at 11 P M Steamer Oregon for same place left Astoria A M The British ship Hannah Gillies from Rio Janeiro arrived here at 1 P M British bark Isabella from Hong Kong at 10 this morning Yesterday and last night strong northeast wind at 7 P M Barometer 30 Weather cloudy

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Buyers here are offering $1 07½@1 09 per bu all lots of good shipping Millers are also taking choice at and about the figure of 1 10 cts per cental

FLOUR—Quotations are as follows Oregon City Mills Multnomah Salem Flouring Mills and standard brands in extra lots $5 50 @ 5 75 bbl country extra $4 50@5 00

OATS—There is an active demand and the light receipts are freely taken at 40@45c per bushel

MILL FEED—Fair supply bran quotable at $15 per ton shorts $18 50@ middlings $ 50@ 30 per ton

POTATOES—In market in small at quotations Quotable from first hands at 30c@35c per 100 lbs

ONIONS—In fair demand for the local trade and for shipment, quotable at 2c per lb for best varieties

BACON—Quotations are 11@12c for sides 12¾ 13c for hams and 14½@15c for shoulders

LARD—The demand is good and the market steady at 10¾@11 cents for tins and kegs

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 18@20c per lb choice dairy 20@25c cheese quotable at 15@16c per lb

EGGS—The demand is active at 40@45c per doz

CHICKENS—Very choice hens $4 per doz common $3@3 50

DRIED APPLES—Quotable at 4½@5c per lb for sun dried

DRIED PLUMS—With pits 4½@5c pitters 9@12c per lb

WOOL—Valley 6@10 Eastern Oregon from 12¼@1[illegible]

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